

**ON KATO-SOBOLEV SPACES. THE WIENER-LÉVY THEOREM  
FOR KATO-SOBOLEV ALGEBRAS  $\mathcal{H}_{u1}^s$ .**

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**ABSTRACT.** We investigate some multiplication properties of Kato-Sobolev spaces by adapting the techniques used in the study of Beurling algebras by Coifman and Meyer [Co-Me]. Also we develop an analytic functional calculus for Kato-Sobolev algebras based on an integral representation formula belonging A. P. Calderón.

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1. INTRODUCTION

In this paper we study some multiplication properties of Kato-Sobolev spaces and we develop an analytic functional calculus for Kato-Sobolev algebras. Kato-Sobolev spaces  $\mathcal{H}_{u1}^s$  were introduced in [K] by Tosio Kato and are known as uniformly local Sobolev spaces. The uniformly local Sobolev spaces can be seen as a convenient class of functions with the local Sobolev property and certain boundedness at infinity. We mention that  $\mathcal{H}_{u1}^s$  were defined only for integers  $s \geq 0$  and play an essential part in the paper. In this paper, Kato-Sobolev spaces are defined for arbitrary orders and are proved some embedding theorems (in the spirit of the [K]) which expresses the multiplication properties of the Kato-Sobolev spaces. The techniques we use in establishing these results are inspired by techniques used in the study of Beurling algebras by Coifman and Meyer [Co-Me]. Also we develop an analytic functional calculus for Kato-Sobolev algebras based on an integral representation formula of A. P. Calderón. This part corresponds to the section of [K] where the invertible elements of the algebra  $\mathcal{H}_{u1}^s$  are determined and which has as main result a Wiener type lemma for  $\mathcal{H}_{u1}^s$ . In our case, the main result is the Wiener-Lévy theorem for Kato-Sobolev algebras. This theorem allows a spectral analysis of these algebras. In Section 2 we define Sobolev spaces of multiple order. Uniformly local Sobolev spaces of multiple order were used as spaces of symbols of pseudo-differential operators in many papers [B1], [B2],.... By adapting the techniques of Coifman and Meyer, used

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in the study of Beurling algebras, we prove a result that allows us to extend the embedding theorems of Kato in the case when the order of  $\mathcal{H}_{u1}^s$  is not an integer  $\geq 0$ . In Section 3 we study an increasing family of spaces  $\{\mathcal{K}_p^s\}_{1 \leq p \leq \infty}$  for which  $\mathcal{K}_\infty^s = \mathcal{H}_{u1}^s$ . The Wiener-Lévy theorem for Kato-Sobolev algebras is established in Section 4. Using this theorem we build an analytic functional calculus for Kato-Sobolev algebras.

## 2. SOBOLEV SPACES OF MULTIPLE ORDER

Let  $j \in \{1, \dots, n\}$ . Suppose that  $\mathbb{R}^n = \mathbb{R}^{n_1} \times \dots \times \mathbb{R}^{n_j}$ , where  $n_1, \dots, n_j \in \mathbb{N}^*$ . We have a partition of variables corresponding to this orthogonal decomposition,  $\{1, \dots, n\} = \bigcup_{l=1}^j N_l$ , where  $N_l = \{k : n_0 + \dots + n_{l-1} < k \leq n_0 + \dots + n_l\}$ . Here  $n_0 = 0$  such that  $N_1 = \{1, \dots, n_1\}$ .

Let  $\mathbf{s} = (s_1, \dots, s_j) \in \mathbb{R}^j$ . We find it convenient to introduce the following space

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n) &= \left\{ u \in \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^n) : (1 - \Delta_{\mathbb{R}^{n_1}})^{s_1/2} \otimes \dots \otimes (1 - \Delta_{\mathbb{R}^{n_j}})^{s_j/2} u \in L^2(\mathbb{R}^n) \right\}, \\ \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}} &= \left\| (1 - \Delta_{\mathbb{R}^{n_1}})^{s_1/2} \otimes \dots \otimes (1 - \Delta_{\mathbb{R}^{n_j}})^{s_j/2} u \right\|_{L^2}, \quad u \in \mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}. \end{aligned}$$

For  $\mathbf{s} = (s_1, \dots, s_k) \in \mathbb{R}^k$  we define the function

$$\begin{aligned} \langle\langle \cdot \rangle\rangle^{\mathbf{s}} : \mathbb{R}^n &= \mathbb{R}^{n_1} \times \dots \times \mathbb{R}^{n_k} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}, \\ \langle\langle \cdot \rangle\rangle^{\mathbf{s}} &= \langle \cdot \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^{n_1}}^{s_1} \otimes \dots \otimes \langle \cdot \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^{n_k}}^{s_k}, \end{aligned}$$

where  $\langle \cdot \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^m} = \left(1 + |\cdot|_{\mathbb{R}^m}^2\right)^{1/2}$ . Then

$$\langle\langle D \rangle\rangle^{\mathbf{s}} = (1 - \Delta_{\mathbb{R}^{n_1}})^{s_1/2} \otimes \dots \otimes (1 - \Delta_{\mathbb{R}^{n_k}})^{s_k/2},$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}} &= \left\{ u \in \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^n) : \langle\langle D \rangle\rangle^{\mathbf{s}} u \in L^2(\mathbb{R}^n) \right\}, \\ \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}} &= \left\| \langle\langle D \rangle\rangle^{\mathbf{s}} u \right\|_{L^2}, \quad u \in \mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}. \end{aligned}$$

Let us note an immediate consequence of Peetre's inequality:

$$\langle\langle \xi + \eta \rangle\rangle^{\mathbf{s}} \leq 2^{|\mathbf{s}|_1/2} \langle\langle \xi \rangle\rangle^{\mathbf{s}} \langle\langle \eta \rangle\rangle^{|\mathbf{s}|}, \quad \xi, \eta \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

where  $|\mathbf{s}|_1 = |s_1| + \dots + |s_k|$  and  $|\mathbf{s}| = (|s_1|, \dots, |s_k|) \in \mathbb{R}^k$ . Also we have

$$\langle\langle \xi \rangle\rangle^{\mathbf{s}} \leq \langle \xi \rangle^{|\mathbf{s}|_1}, \quad \xi \in \mathbb{R}^n.$$

Let  $k$  be an integer  $\geq 0$  or  $k = \infty$ . We shall use the following standard notations:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{BC}^k(\mathbb{R}^n) &= \left\{ f \in \mathcal{C}^k(\mathbb{R}^n) : f \text{ and its derivatives of order } \leq k \text{ are bounded} \right\}, \\ \|f\|_{\mathcal{BC}^l} &= \max_{m \leq l} \sup_{x \in X} \|f^{(m)}(x)\| < \infty, \quad l < k + 1. \end{aligned}$$

**Proposition 2.1.** *Suppose that  $\mathbb{R}^n = \mathbb{R}^{n_1} \times \dots \times \mathbb{R}^{n_j}$ . Let  $\mathbf{s} \in \mathbb{R}^j$ ,  $k_s = [|\mathbf{s}|_1] + n + 2$  and  $m_s = [|\mathbf{s}|_1 + \frac{n+1}{2}] + 1$ .*

(a)  *$u \in \mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  if and only if there is  $l \in \{1, \dots, j\}$  such that  $u, \partial_k u \in \mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}-\delta_l}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  for any  $k \in N_l$ , where  $\delta_l = (\delta_{l1}, \dots, \delta_{lj})$ .*

(b) If  $\chi \in H^{|s|_1 + \frac{n+1}{2}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ , then for every  $u \in \mathcal{H}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$  we have  $\chi u \in \mathcal{H}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$  and

$$\begin{aligned} \|\chi u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} &\leq C(s, n, \chi) \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} \\ &\leq C(s, n) \|\chi\|_{H^{|s|_1 + \frac{n+1}{2}}} \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}, \end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} C(s, n, \chi) &= (2\pi)^{-n} 2^{|s|_1/2} \left( \int \langle \eta \rangle^{|s|_1} |\widehat{\chi}(\eta)| d\eta \right) \\ &\leq (2\pi)^{-n} 2^{|s|_1/2} \left\| \langle \cdot \rangle^{-n-1} \right\|_{L^1} \|\chi\|_{H^{|s|_1 + \frac{n+1}{2}}} \\ &= C(s, n) \|\chi\|_{H^{|s|_1 + \frac{n+1}{2}}} \leq C(s, n) \left( \sum_{|\alpha| \leq m_s} \|\partial^\alpha \chi\|_{L^2} \right). \end{aligned}$$

Here  $H^m(\mathbb{R}^n)$  is the usual Sobolev space,  $m \in \mathbb{R}$ .

(c) If  $\chi \in \mathcal{C}^{k_s}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  is  $\mathbb{Z}^n$ -periodic, then for every  $u \in \mathcal{H}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$  we have  $\chi u \in \mathcal{H}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ .

(d) If  $s_1 > n_1/2, \dots, s_j > n_j/2$ , then  $\mathcal{H}^s(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \mathcal{F}^{-1}L^1(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \mathcal{C}_\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$ .

*Proof.* (a) This part is trivial.

(b) Since  $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  is dense in  $\mathcal{H}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$  and  $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  is dense in  $H^{|s|_1 + \frac{n+1}{2}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  (see the  $\mathcal{B}_{p,k}$  spaces in Hörmander [Hö1] vol. 2), we can assume that  $\chi, u \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . In this case we have

$$\widehat{\chi u}(\xi) = (2\pi)^{-n} \widehat{\chi} * \widehat{u}(\xi).$$

Now we use Peetre's inequality and  $\langle \langle \xi \rangle \rangle^{|s|} \leq \langle \xi \rangle^{|s|_1}$  to obtain

$$\langle \langle \xi \rangle \rangle^s |\widehat{\chi u}(\xi)| \leq (2\pi)^{-n} 2^{|s|_1/2} \left( \int \langle \xi - \eta \rangle^{|s|_1} |\widehat{\chi}(\xi - \eta)| \langle \langle \eta \rangle \rangle^s |\widehat{u}(\eta)| d\eta \right).$$

Then Schur's lemma implies that

$$\begin{aligned} \|\chi u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} &= \|\langle \langle \cdot \rangle \rangle^s |\widehat{\chi u}| \|_{L^2} \\ &\leq (2\pi)^{-n} 2^{|s|_1/2} \left( \int \langle \eta \rangle^{|s|_1} |\widehat{\chi}(\eta)| d\eta \right) \|\langle \langle \cdot \rangle \rangle^s |\widehat{u}|\|_{L^2} \\ &= C(s, n, \chi) \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} \end{aligned}$$

and Schwarz inequality gives the estimate of  $C(s, n, \chi)$

$$\begin{aligned} C(s, n, \chi) &= (2\pi)^{-n} 2^{|s|_1/2} \left( \int \langle \eta \rangle^{|s|_1} |\widehat{\chi}(\eta)| d\eta \right) \\ &\leq (2\pi)^{-n} 2^{|s|_1/2} \left\| \langle \cdot \rangle^{-n-1} \right\|_{L^1} \|\chi\|_{H^{|s|_1 + \frac{n+1}{2}}} \\ &= C(s, n) \|\chi\|_{H^{|s|_1 + \frac{n+1}{2}}} \leq C(s, n) \left( \sum_{|\alpha| \leq m_s} \|\partial^\alpha \chi\|_{L^2} \right). \end{aligned}$$

(c) We shall use some results from [Hö1] vol. 1, pp 177-179, concerning periodic distributions. If  $\chi \in \mathcal{C}^{k_s}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  is  $\mathbb{Z}^n$ -periodic, then

$$\chi = \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} e^{2\pi i \langle \cdot, \gamma \rangle} c_\gamma,$$

with Fourier coefficients

$$c_\gamma = \int_{\mathbb{I}} \chi(x) e^{-2\pi i \langle x, \gamma \rangle} dx, \quad \mathbb{I} = [0, 1]^n, \quad \gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n,$$

satisfying

$$|c_\gamma| \leq Cst \|\chi\|_{\mathcal{BC}^{k_s}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \langle 2\pi\gamma \rangle^{-k_s}, \quad \gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n.$$

Since  $\widehat{e^{i\langle \cdot, \eta \rangle} u} = \widehat{u}(\cdot - \eta)$ , then Peetre's inequality implies that

$$\left\| e^{i\langle \cdot, \eta \rangle} u \right\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} \leq 2^{|s|_1/2} \langle \langle \eta \rangle \rangle^{|s|} \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} \leq 2^{|s|_1/2} \langle \eta \rangle^{|s|_1} \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}.$$

It follows that

$$\begin{aligned} \|\chi u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} &\leq Cst \cdot 2^{|s|_1/2} \|\chi\|_{\mathcal{BC}^{k_s}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \left( \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \langle 2\pi\gamma \rangle^{-k_s} \langle 2\pi\gamma \rangle^{|s|_1} \right) \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} \\ &\leq Cst \cdot 2^{|s|_1/2} \left( \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \langle 2\pi\gamma \rangle^{-n-1} \right) \|\chi\|_{\mathcal{BC}^{k_s}(\mathbb{R}^n)} \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}. \end{aligned}$$

(d) Let  $u \in \mathcal{H}^s$ . If  $s_1 > n_1/2, \dots, s_j > n_j/2$ , then  $\widehat{u} \in L^1(\mathbb{R}^n)$  since  $\langle \langle \cdot \rangle \rangle^{-s}$ ,  $\langle \langle \cdot \rangle \rangle^s \widehat{u} \in L^2(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . Now the Riemann-Lebesgue lemma implies the result.  $\square$

**Lemma 2.2.** *Let  $\varphi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  and  $\theta \in [0, 2\pi]^n$ . If*

$$\varphi_\theta = \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} e^{i\langle \gamma, \theta \rangle} \varphi(\cdot - \gamma) = \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} e^{i\langle \gamma, \theta \rangle} \tau_\gamma \varphi,$$

then

$$\widehat{\varphi}_\theta = \nu_\theta = (2\pi)^n \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \widehat{\varphi}(2\pi\gamma + \theta) \delta_{2\pi\gamma + \theta}.$$

*Proof.* We have

$$\varphi_\theta = \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} e^{i\langle \gamma, \theta \rangle} \varphi(\cdot - \gamma) = \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} e^{i\langle \gamma, \theta \rangle} \delta_\gamma * \varphi = \varphi * (e^{i\langle \cdot, \theta \rangle} S),$$

where  $S = \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \delta_\gamma$ . We apply Poisson's summation formula,  $\mathcal{F} \left( \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \delta_\gamma \right) = (2\pi)^n \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \delta_{2\pi\gamma}$ , to obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \widehat{\varphi}_\theta &= \widehat{\varphi} \cdot (\widehat{e^{i\langle \cdot, \theta \rangle} S}) = \widehat{\varphi} \cdot \tau_\theta \widehat{S} = (2\pi)^n \widehat{\varphi} \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \delta_{2\pi\gamma + \theta} \\ &= (2\pi)^n \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \widehat{\varphi}(2\pi\gamma + \theta) \delta_{2\pi\gamma + \theta}. \end{aligned}$$

$\square$

Above and in the rest of the paper for any  $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$  and for any distribution  $u$  on  $\mathbb{R}^n$ , by  $\tau_x u$  we shall denote the translation by  $x$  of  $u$ , i.e.  $\tau_x u = u(\cdot - x) = \delta_x * u$ .

As we already said the techniques of Coifman and Meyer, used in the study of Beurling algebras  $A_\omega$  and  $B_\omega$  (see [Co-Me] pp 7-10), can be adapted to the case of Sobolev spaces  $\mathcal{H}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . An example is the following result.

**Lemma 2.3.** *Let  $\mathbf{s} \in \mathbb{R}^j$ . Let  $\{u_\gamma\}_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n}$  be a family of elements from  $\mathcal{H}^\mathbf{s}(\mathbb{R}^n) \cap \mathcal{D}'_K(\mathbb{R}^n)$ , where  $K \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  is a compact subset such that  $(K - K) \cap \mathbb{Z}^n = \{0\}$ . Put*

$$u = \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \tau_\gamma u_\gamma = \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} u_\gamma(\cdot - \gamma) = \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \delta_\gamma * u_\gamma \in \mathcal{D}'(\mathbb{R}^n).$$

*Then the following statements are equivalent:*

- (a)  $u \in \mathcal{H}^\mathbf{s}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ .
- (b)  $\sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \|u_\gamma\|_{\mathcal{H}^\mathbf{s}}^2 < \infty$ .

*Moreover, there is  $C \geq 1$ , which does not depend on the family  $\{u_\gamma\}_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n}$ , such that*

$$(2.1) \quad C^{-1} \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^\mathbf{s}} \leq \left( \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \|u_\gamma\|_{\mathcal{H}^\mathbf{s}}^2 \right)^{1/2} \leq C \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^\mathbf{s}}.$$

*Proof.* Let us choose  $\varphi \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$  such that  $\varphi = 1$  on  $K$  and  $\text{supp} \varphi = K'$  satisfies the condition  $(K' - K') \cap \mathbb{Z}^n = \{0\}$ . For  $\theta \in [0, 2\pi]^n$  we set

$$\begin{aligned} \varphi_\theta &= \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} e^{i\langle \gamma, \theta \rangle} \tau_\gamma \varphi = \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} e^{i\langle \gamma, \theta \rangle} \delta_\gamma * \varphi, \\ u_\theta &= \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} e^{i\langle \gamma, \theta \rangle} \tau_\gamma u_\gamma = \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} e^{i\langle \gamma, \theta \rangle} \delta_\gamma * u_\gamma. \end{aligned}$$

Since  $(K' - K') \cap \mathbb{Z}^n = \{0\}$  we have

$$u_\theta = \varphi_\theta u, \quad u = \varphi_\theta u_{-\theta}.$$

*Step 1.* Suppose first that the family  $\{u_\gamma\}_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n}$  has only a finite number of non-zero terms and we shall prove in this case the estimate (2.1). Since  $u_\theta, u \in \mathcal{E}' \subset \mathcal{S}'$  it follows that

$$\widehat{u}_\theta = \nu_\theta * \widehat{u}, \quad \widehat{u} = \nu_\theta * \widehat{u}_{-\theta},$$

where  $\nu_\theta = \widehat{\varphi}_\theta = (2\pi)^n \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \widehat{\varphi}(2\pi\gamma + \theta) \delta_{2\pi\gamma + \theta}$  is a measure of rapid decay at  $\infty$ . Since  $\widehat{u}_\theta, \widehat{u} \in \mathcal{C}_{pol}^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$  we get the pointwise equalities

$$\begin{aligned} \widehat{u}_\theta(\xi) &= (2\pi)^n \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \widehat{\varphi}(2\pi\gamma + \theta) \widehat{u}(\xi - 2\pi\gamma - \theta), \\ \widehat{u}(\xi) &= (2\pi)^n \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \widehat{\varphi}(2\pi\gamma + \theta) \widehat{u}_{-\theta}(\xi - 2\pi\gamma - \theta). \end{aligned}$$

By using Peetre's inequality we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \langle \xi \rangle \rangle^\mathbf{s} |\widehat{u}_\theta(\xi)| &\leq 2^{|\mathbf{s}|_1/2} (2\pi)^n \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \langle \langle 2\pi\gamma + \theta \rangle \rangle^{|\mathbf{s}|} |\widehat{\varphi}(2\pi\gamma + \theta)| \\ &\quad \cdot \langle \langle \xi - 2\pi\gamma - \theta \rangle \rangle^\mathbf{s} |\widehat{u}(\xi - 2\pi\gamma - \theta)|, \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \langle \xi \rangle \rangle^\mathbf{s} \widehat{u}(\xi) &\leq 2^{|\mathbf{s}|_1/2} (2\pi)^n \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \langle \langle 2\pi\gamma + \theta \rangle \rangle^{|\mathbf{s}|} |\widehat{\varphi}(2\pi\gamma + \theta)| \\ &\quad \cdot \langle \langle \xi - 2\pi\gamma - \theta \rangle \rangle^\mathbf{s} |\widehat{u}_{-\theta}(\xi - 2\pi\gamma - \theta)|. \end{aligned}$$

From here we obtain further that

$$\begin{aligned}
\|u_\theta\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} &= \|\langle\langle\cdot\rangle\rangle^s \widehat{u}_\theta\|_{L^2} \\
&\leq 2^{|\mathbf{s}|_1/2} (2\pi)^n \left( \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \langle\langle 2\pi\gamma + \theta \rangle\rangle^{|\mathbf{s}|} |\widehat{\varphi}(2\pi\gamma + \theta)| \right) \|\langle\langle\cdot\rangle\rangle^s \widehat{u}\|_{L^2} \\
&= 2^{|\mathbf{s}|_1/2} (2\pi)^n \left( \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \langle\langle 2\pi\gamma + \theta \rangle\rangle^{|\mathbf{s}|} |\widehat{\varphi}(2\pi\gamma + \theta)| \right) \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} \\
&= C_{\mathbf{s},n,\varphi} \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}
\end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
\|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} &\leq 2^{|\mathbf{s}|_1/2} (2\pi)^n \left( \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \langle\langle 2\pi\gamma + \theta \rangle\rangle^{|\mathbf{s}|} |\widehat{\varphi}(2\pi\gamma + \theta)| \right) \|u_{-\theta}\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} \\
&= C_{\mathbf{s},n,\varphi} \|u_{-\theta}\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}.
\end{aligned}$$

The above estimates can be rewritten as

$$\begin{aligned}
\int \langle\langle \xi \rangle\rangle^{2s} |\widehat{u}_\theta(\xi)|^2 d\xi &\leq C_{\mathbf{s},n,\varphi}^2 \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^2, \\
\|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^2 &\leq C_{\mathbf{s},n,\varphi}^2 \int \langle\langle \xi \rangle\rangle^{2s} |\widehat{u}_{-\theta}(\xi)|^2 d\xi.
\end{aligned}$$

On the other hand, the equality  $u_\theta = \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} e^{i\langle\gamma, \theta\rangle} \tau_\gamma u_\gamma$  implies

$$\widehat{u}_\theta(\xi) = \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} e^{i\langle\gamma, \theta - \xi\rangle} \widehat{u}_\gamma(\xi)$$

with finite sum. The functions  $\theta \rightarrow \widehat{u}_{\pm\theta}(\xi)$  are in  $L^2([0, 2\pi]^n)$  and

$$(2\pi)^{-n} \int_{[0,2\pi]^n} |\widehat{u}_{\pm\theta}(\xi)|^2 d\theta = \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} |\widehat{u}_\gamma(\xi)|^2.$$

Integrating with respect  $\theta$  the above inequalities we get that

$$\begin{aligned}
\sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \|u_\gamma\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^2 &\leq C_{\mathbf{s},n,\varphi}^2 \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^2, \\
\|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^2 &\leq C_{\mathbf{s},n,\varphi}^2 \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \|u_\gamma\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^2.
\end{aligned}$$

*Step 2.* The general case is obtained by approximation.

Suppose that  $u \in \mathcal{H}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . Let  $\psi \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$  be such that  $\psi = 1$  on  $B(0, 1)$ . Then  $\psi^\varepsilon u \rightarrow u$  in  $\mathcal{H}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$  where  $\psi^\varepsilon(x) = \psi(\varepsilon x)$ ,  $0 < \varepsilon \leq 1$ ,  $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ . Also we have

$$\|\psi^\varepsilon u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} \leq C(s, n, \psi) \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}, \quad 0 < \varepsilon \leq 1,$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
C(s, n, \psi) &= (2\pi)^{-n} 2^{|\mathbf{s}|_1/2} \sup_{0 < \varepsilon \leq 1} \left( \int \langle \eta \rangle^{|\mathbf{s}|_1} \varepsilon^{-n} |\widehat{\psi}(\eta/\varepsilon)| d\eta \right) \\
&= (2\pi)^{-n} 2^{|\mathbf{s}|_1/2} \sup_{0 < \varepsilon \leq 1} \left( \int \langle \varepsilon \eta \rangle^{|\mathbf{s}|_1} |\widehat{\psi}(\eta)| d\eta \right) \\
&\leq (2\pi)^{-n} 2^{|\mathbf{s}|_1/2} \left( \int \langle \eta \rangle^{|\mathbf{s}|_1} |\widehat{\psi}(\eta)| d\eta \right).
\end{aligned}$$

Let  $m \in \mathbb{N}, m \geq 1$ . Then there is  $\varepsilon_m$  such that for any  $\varepsilon \in (0, \varepsilon_m]$  we have

$$\psi^\varepsilon u = \sum_{|\gamma| \leq m} \tau_\gamma u_\gamma + \sum_{finite} \tau_\gamma ((\tau_{-\gamma} \psi^\varepsilon) u_\gamma).$$

By the first part we get that

$$\sum_{|\gamma| \leq m} \|u_\gamma\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^2 \leq C_{s,n,\varphi}^2 \|\psi^\varepsilon u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^2 \leq C_{s,n,\varphi}^2 C(s, n, \psi)^2 \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^2.$$

Since  $m$  is arbitrary, it follows that  $\sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \|u_\gamma\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^2 < \infty$ . Further from

$$\sum_{|\gamma| \leq m} \|u_\gamma\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^2 \leq C_{s,n,\varphi}^2 \|\psi^\varepsilon u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^2, \quad 0 < \varepsilon \leq \varepsilon_m,$$

we obtain that

$$\sum_{|\gamma| \leq m} \|u_\gamma\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^2 \leq C_{s,n,\varphi}^2 \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^2, \quad \forall m \in \mathbb{N}.$$

Hence

$$\sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \|u_\gamma\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^2 \leq C_{s,n,\varphi}^2 \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^2.$$

Now suppose that  $\sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \|u_\gamma\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^2 < \infty$ . For  $m \in \mathbb{N}, m \geq 1$  we put  $u(m) = \sum_{|\gamma| \leq m} \tau_\gamma u_\gamma$ . Then

$$\|u(m+p) - u(m)\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^2 \leq C_{s,n,\varphi}^2 \sum_{m \leq |\gamma| \leq m+p} \|u_\gamma\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^2$$

It follows that  $\{u(m)\}_{m \geq 1}$  is a Cauchy sequence in  $\mathcal{H}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . Let  $v \in \mathcal{H}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$  be such that  $u(m) \rightarrow v$  in  $\mathcal{H}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . Since  $u(m) \rightarrow u$  in  $\mathcal{D}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$ , it follows that  $u = v$ . Hence  $u(m) \rightarrow u$  in  $\mathcal{H}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . Since we have

$$\|u(m)\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^2 \leq C_{s,n,\varphi}^2 \sum_{|\gamma| \leq m} \|u_\gamma\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^2 \leq C_{s,n,\varphi}^2 \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \|u_\gamma\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^2, \quad \forall m \in \mathbb{N}.$$

we obtain that

$$\|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^2 \leq C_{s,n,\varphi}^2 \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \|u_\gamma\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^2.$$

□

To use the previous result we need a convenient partition of unity. Let  $N \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $\{x_1, \dots, x_N\} \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  be such that

$$[0, 1]^n \subset \left( x_1 + \left[ \frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3} \right]^n \right) \cup \dots \cup \left( x_N + \left[ \frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3} \right]^n \right)$$

Let  $\tilde{h} \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ,  $\tilde{h} \geq 0$ , be such that  $\tilde{h} = 1$  on  $\left[ \frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3} \right]^n$  and  $\text{supp } \tilde{h} \subset \left[ \frac{1}{4}, \frac{3}{4} \right]^n$ . Then

- (a)  $\tilde{H} = \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \tau_{\gamma+x_i} \tilde{h} \in \mathcal{BC}^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$  is  $\mathbb{Z}^n$ -periodic and  $\tilde{H} \geq 1$ .
- (b)  $h_i = \frac{\tau_{x_i} \tilde{h}}{\tilde{H}} \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ,  $h_i \geq 0$ ,  $\text{supp } h_i \subset x_i + \left[ \frac{1}{4}, \frac{3}{4} \right]^n = K_i$ ,  $(K_i - K_i) \cap \mathbb{Z}^n = \{0\}$ ,  $i = 1, \dots, N$ .
- (c)  $\chi_i = \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \tau_\gamma h_i \in \mathcal{BC}^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$  is  $\mathbb{Z}^n$ -periodic,  $i = 1, \dots, N$  and  $\sum_{i=1}^N \chi_i = 1$ .
- (d)  $h = \sum_{i=1}^N h_i \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ,  $h \geq 0$ ,  $\sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \tau_\gamma h = 1$ .

A first consequence of previous results is the next proposition.

**Proposition 2.4.** *Let  $\mathbf{s} \in \mathbb{R}^j$  and  $m_{\mathbf{s}} = \lceil |\mathbf{s}|_1 + \frac{n+1}{2} \rceil + 1$ . Then*

$$\mathcal{BC}^{m_{\mathbf{s}}}(\mathbb{R}^n) \cdot \mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n).$$

*Proof.* Let  $u \in \mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . We use the partition of unity constructed above to obtain a decomposition of  $u$  satisfying the conditions of Lemma 2.3. Using Proposition 2.1 (c), it follows that  $\chi_i u \in \mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ,  $i = 1, \dots, N$ . We have

$$u = \sum_{i=1}^N \chi_i u$$

with  $\chi_i u \in \mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \chi_i u &= \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \tau_{\gamma}(h_i \tau_{-\gamma} u), \quad h_i \tau_{-\gamma} u \in \mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n) \cap \mathcal{D}'_{K_i}(\mathbb{R}^n), \\ (K_i - K_i) \cap \mathbb{Z}^n &= \{0\}, \quad i = 1, \dots, N. \end{aligned}$$

So we can assume that  $u \in \mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  is of the form described in Lemma 2.3.

Let  $\psi \in \mathcal{BC}^{m_{\mathbf{s}}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . Then

$$\psi u = \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \psi \tau_{\gamma} u_{\gamma} = \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \tau_{\gamma}(\psi_{\gamma} u_{\gamma})$$

with  $\psi_{\gamma} = \varphi(\tau_{-\gamma} \psi)$ , where  $\varphi \in \mathcal{C}_0^{\infty}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  is the function considered in the proof of Lemma 2.3. We apply Lemma 2.3 and Proposition 2.1 (b) to obtain

$$\|\psi u\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}}^2 \leq C_{\mathbf{s}, n, \varphi}^2 \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \|\psi_{\gamma} u_{\gamma}\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}}^2$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \|\psi_{\gamma} u_{\gamma}\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}} &\leq Cst \left( \sum_{|\alpha| \leq m_{\mathbf{s}}} \|\partial^{\alpha}(\varphi(\tau_{-\gamma} \psi))\|_{L^2} \right) \|u_{\gamma}\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}} \\ &\leq Cst \|\varphi\|_{H^{m_{\mathbf{s}}}} \|\psi\|_{\mathcal{BC}^{m_{\mathbf{s}}}} \|u_{\gamma}\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}}, \quad \gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n. \end{aligned}$$

Hence another application of Lemma 2.3 gives

$$\begin{aligned} \|\psi u\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}}^2 &\leq Cst \|\varphi\|_{H^{m_{\mathbf{s}}}}^2 \|\psi\|_{\mathcal{BC}^{m_{\mathbf{s}}}}^2 \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \|u_{\gamma}\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}}^2 \\ &\leq Cst \|\varphi\|_{H^{m_{\mathbf{s}}}}^2 \|\psi\|_{\mathcal{BC}^{m_{\mathbf{s}}}}^2 \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}}^2. \end{aligned}$$

□

**Corollary 2.5.** *Let  $\mathbf{s} \in \mathbb{R}^j$ . Then*

$$\mathcal{BC}^{\infty}(\mathbb{R}^n) \cdot \mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n).$$

**Lemma 2.6.** *Let  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2 \geq 0$ ,  $\lambda_1 + \lambda_2 > n/2$ . Then*

$$\langle \cdot \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2\lambda_1} * \langle \cdot \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2\lambda_2} \leq \left\| \langle \cdot \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2(\lambda_1 + \lambda_2)} \right\|_{L^1}$$

*Proof.* The case  $\lambda_1 \cdot \lambda_2 = 0$  is trivial. Thus we may assume that  $\lambda_1, \lambda_2 > 0$ ,  $\lambda_1 + \lambda_2 > n/2$ . Then

$$\langle \cdot \rangle^{-2\lambda_j} \in L^{p_j}, \quad p_j = \frac{\lambda_1 + \lambda_2}{\lambda_j} > 1, \quad j = 1, 2.$$

Since  $\frac{1}{p_1} + \frac{1}{p_2} = 1$ , by using Hölder's inequality we get

$$\langle \cdot \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2\lambda_1} * \langle \cdot \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2\lambda_2} \leq \left\| \langle \cdot \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2\lambda_1} \right\|_{L^{p_1}} \left\| \langle \cdot \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2\lambda_2} \right\|_{L^{p_2}}$$

with

$$\begin{aligned} \left\| \langle \cdot \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2\lambda_j} \right\|_{L^{p_j}}^{p_j} &= \int \left[ (1 + |\xi|^2)^{-\lambda_j} \right]^{\frac{\lambda_1 + \lambda_2}{\lambda_j}} d\xi \\ &= \int (1 + |\xi|^2)^{-\lambda_1 - \lambda_2} d\xi \\ &= \left\| \langle \cdot \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2(\lambda_1 + \lambda_2)} \right\|_{L^1}, \quad j = 1, 2. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \cdot \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2\lambda_1} * \langle \cdot \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2\lambda_2} &\leq \left\| \langle \cdot \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2\lambda_1} \right\|_{L^{p_1}} \left\| \langle \cdot \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2\lambda_2} \right\|_{L^{p_2}} \\ &= \left\| \langle \cdot \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2(\lambda_1 + \lambda_2)} \right\|_{L^1}^{\frac{1}{p_1} + \frac{1}{p_2}} \\ &= \left\| \langle \cdot \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2(\lambda_1 + \lambda_2)} \right\|_{L^1}. \end{aligned}$$

□

**Lemma 2.7.** *Let  $s, t \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $s + t > n/2$ . For  $\varepsilon \in (0, s + t - n/2)$  we put  $\sigma(\varepsilon) = \min\{s, t, s + t - n/2 - \varepsilon\}$ . Then*

$$\langle \cdot \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2s} * \langle \cdot \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2t} \leq C(s, t, \varepsilon, n) \langle \cdot \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2\sigma(\varepsilon)}.$$

where

$$C(s, t, \varepsilon, n) = \begin{cases} 2^{2\sigma(\varepsilon)+1} \left\| \langle \cdot \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2(s+t-\sigma(\varepsilon))} \right\|_{L^1} & \text{if } s, t \geq 0, \\ 2^{|\sigma(\varepsilon)|} \left\| \langle \cdot \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2(s+t)} \right\|_{L^1} & \text{if } s < 0 \text{ or } t < 0. \end{cases}$$

*Proof.* Let us write  $\sigma$  for  $\sigma(\varepsilon)$ .

*Step 1.* The case  $s, t \geq 0$ . We have

$$\langle \cdot \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2s} * \langle \cdot \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2t}(\xi) = \int_{|\eta - \xi| \geq \frac{1}{2}|\xi|} \langle \xi - \eta \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2s} \langle \eta \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2t} d\eta + \int_{|\eta - \xi| \leq \frac{1}{2}|\xi|} \langle \xi - \eta \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2s} \langle \eta \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2t} d\eta$$

(a) If  $|\eta - \xi| \geq \frac{1}{2}|\xi|$ , then

$$\frac{1}{1 + |\xi - \eta|^2} \leq \frac{4}{1 + |\xi|^2} \Leftrightarrow \langle \xi - \eta \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-1} \leq 2 \langle \xi \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-1}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \xi - \eta \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2s} &= \langle \xi - \eta \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2\sigma} \cdot \langle \xi - \eta \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2(s-\sigma)} \\ &\leq 2^{2\sigma} \langle \xi \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2\sigma} \langle \xi - \eta \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2(s-\sigma)} \end{aligned}$$

Since  $s - \sigma + t = s + t - n/2 - \varepsilon - \sigma + n/2 + \varepsilon \geq n/2 + \varepsilon > n/2$ , the previous lemma allows to evaluate the integral on the domain  $|\eta - \xi| \geq \frac{1}{2} |\xi|$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{|\eta - \xi| \geq \frac{1}{2} |\xi|} \langle \xi - \eta \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2s} \langle \eta \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2t} d\eta &\leq 2^{2\sigma} \langle \xi \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2\sigma} \int_{|\eta - \xi| \geq \frac{1}{2} |\xi|} \langle \xi - \eta \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2(s-\sigma)} \langle \eta \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2t} d\eta \\ &\leq 2^{2\sigma} \langle \xi \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2\sigma} \left( \langle \cdot \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2(s-\sigma)} * \langle \cdot \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2t} \right) (\xi) \\ &\leq 2^{2\sigma} \left\| \langle \cdot \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2(s+t-\sigma)} \right\|_{L^1} \langle \xi \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2\sigma} \end{aligned}$$

(b) If  $|\eta - \xi| \leq \frac{1}{2} |\xi|$ , then  $|\eta| \geq |\xi| - |\eta - \xi| \geq \frac{1}{2} |\xi|$ . We can therefore use (a) to evaluate the integral on the domain  $|\eta - \xi| \leq \frac{1}{2} |\xi|$ . It follows that

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{|\eta - \xi| \leq \frac{1}{2} |\xi|} \langle \xi - \eta \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2s} \langle \eta \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2t} d\eta &\leq \int_{|\eta| \geq \frac{1}{2} |\xi|} \langle \xi - \eta \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2s} \langle \eta \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2t} d\eta \\ &= \int_{|\zeta - \xi| \geq \frac{1}{2} |\xi|} \langle \zeta \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2s} \langle \xi - \zeta \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2t} d\zeta \\ &\leq 2^{2\sigma} \left\| \langle \cdot \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2(s+t-\sigma)} \right\|_{L^1} \langle \xi \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2\sigma} \end{aligned}$$

(c) From (a) and (b) we obtain

$$\langle \cdot \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2s} * \langle \cdot \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2t} \leq 2^{2\sigma+1} \left\| \langle \cdot \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2(s+t-\sigma)} \right\|_{L^1} \langle \cdot \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2\sigma}.$$

*Step 2.* Next we consider the case  $s < 0$  or  $t < 0$ . If  $s < 0$  and  $s + t > n/2$ , then  $\sigma = s$ . In this case we use Peetre's inequality to obtain:

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \cdot \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2s} * \langle \cdot \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2t} (\xi) &= \int \langle \xi - \eta \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2s} \langle \eta \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2t} d\eta \\ &\leq 2^{|s|} \int \langle \xi \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2s} \langle \eta \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2(s+t)} d\eta \\ &= 2^{|s|} \left\| \langle \cdot \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2(s+t)} \right\|_{L^1} \langle \xi \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^n}^{-2\sigma} \end{aligned}$$

The case  $t < 0$  can be treated similarly.  $\square$

Since  $\langle \cdot \rangle^{\mathbf{s}} = \langle \cdot \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^{n_1}}^{s_1} \otimes \dots \otimes \langle \cdot \rangle_{\mathbb{R}^{n_j}}^{s_j}$ ,  $\mathbf{s} = (s_1, \dots, s_j) \in \mathbb{R}^j$  we obtain

**Corollary 2.8.** *Let  $\mathbf{s}, \mathbf{t}, \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}, \sigma(\boldsymbol{\varepsilon}) \in \mathbb{R}^j$  such that,  $s_l + t_l > n_l/2$ ,  $0 < \varepsilon_l < s_l + t_l - n_l/2$ ,  $\sigma_l(\boldsymbol{\varepsilon}) = \sigma_l(\varepsilon_l) = \min\{s_l, t_l, s_l + t_l - n_l/2 - \varepsilon_l\}$  for any  $l \in \{1, \dots, j\}$ . Then there is  $C(\mathbf{s}, \mathbf{t}, \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}, n) > 0$  such that*

$$\langle \cdot \rangle^{\mathbf{s}} * \langle \cdot \rangle^{\mathbf{t}} \leq C(\mathbf{s}, \mathbf{t}, \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}, n) \langle \cdot \rangle^{-2\sigma(\boldsymbol{\varepsilon})}.$$

**Proposition 2.9.** *Let  $\mathbf{s}, \mathbf{t}, \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}, \sigma(\boldsymbol{\varepsilon}) \in \mathbb{R}^j$  such that,  $s_l + t_l > n_l/2$ ,  $0 < \varepsilon_l < s_l + t_l - n_l/2$ ,  $\sigma_l(\boldsymbol{\varepsilon}) = \sigma_l(\varepsilon_l) = \min\{s_l, t_l, s_l + t_l - n_l/2 - \varepsilon_l\}$  for any  $l \in \{1, \dots, j\}$ . Then*

$$\mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n) \cdot \mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{t}}(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \mathcal{H}^{\sigma(\boldsymbol{\varepsilon})}(\mathbb{R}^n)$$

*Proof.* Let us write  $\sigma$  for  $\sigma(\boldsymbol{\varepsilon})$ . Let  $u, v \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} \|u \cdot v\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\sigma}}^2 &= \left\| \langle \cdot \rangle^{\sigma} \widehat{u \cdot v} \right\|_{L^2}^2 = \int \left| \langle \langle \xi \rangle^{\sigma} \widehat{u \cdot v}(\xi) \right|^2 d\xi \\ &= (2\pi)^{-2n} \int \left| \langle \langle \xi \rangle^{\sigma} \widehat{u} * \widehat{v}(\xi) \right|^2 d\xi \end{aligned}$$

By using Schwarz's inequality and the above corollary we can estimate the integrand as follows

$$\begin{aligned} |\langle\langle\xi\rangle\rangle^\sigma \widehat{u} * \widehat{v}(\xi)|^2 &\leq \left( \int |\langle\langle\eta\rangle\rangle^s \widehat{u}(\eta)| \left| \langle\langle\xi-\eta\rangle\rangle^t \widehat{v}(\xi-\eta) \right| \frac{\langle\langle\xi\rangle\rangle^\sigma}{\langle\langle\eta\rangle\rangle^s \langle\langle\xi-\eta\rangle\rangle^t} d\eta \right)^2 \\ &\leq \left( \int |\langle\langle\eta\rangle\rangle^s \widehat{u}(\eta)|^2 \left| \langle\langle\xi-\eta\rangle\rangle^t \widehat{v}(\xi-\eta) \right|^2 d\eta \right) \left( \int \frac{\langle\langle\xi\rangle\rangle^{2\sigma}}{\langle\langle\eta\rangle\rangle^{2s} \langle\langle\xi-\eta\rangle\rangle^{2t}} d\eta \right) \\ &\leq C(s, t, \varepsilon, n) \int |\langle\langle\eta\rangle\rangle^s \widehat{u}(\eta)|^2 \left| \langle\langle\xi-\eta\rangle\rangle^t \widehat{v}(\xi-\eta) \right|^2 d\eta \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} \|u \cdot v\|_{\mathcal{H}^\sigma}^2 &\leq C'(s, t, \varepsilon, n) \int \left( \int |\langle\langle\eta\rangle\rangle^s \widehat{u}(\eta)|^2 \left| \langle\langle\xi-\eta\rangle\rangle^t \widehat{v}(\xi-\eta) \right|^2 d\eta \right) d\xi \\ &= C'(s, t, \varepsilon, n) \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^2 \|v\|_{\mathcal{H}^t}^2 \end{aligned}$$

To conclude we use the fact that  $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  is dense in any  $\mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{m}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ .  $\square$

**Corollary 2.10.** *Let  $\mathbf{s} \in \mathbb{R}^j$ . If  $s_1 > n_1/2, \dots, s_j > n_j/2$ , then  $\mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  is a Banach algebra.*

### 3. KATO-SOBOLEV SPACES $\mathcal{K}_p^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$

We begin by proving some results that will be useful later. Let  $\varphi, \psi \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$  (or  $\varphi, \psi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ). Then the maps

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{R}^n \times \mathbb{R}^n &\ni (x, y) \xrightarrow{f} \varphi(x) \psi(x-y) = (\varphi \tau_y \psi)(x) \in \mathbb{C}, \\ \mathbb{R}^n \times \mathbb{R}^n &\ni (x, y) \xrightarrow{g} \varphi(y) \psi(x-y) = \varphi(y) (\tau_y \psi)(x) \in \mathbb{C}, \end{aligned}$$

are in  $\mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n \times \mathbb{R}^n)$  (respectively in  $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n \times \mathbb{R}^n)$ ). To see this we note that

$$f = (\varphi \otimes \psi) \circ T, \quad g = (\varphi \otimes \psi) \circ S$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} T &: \mathbb{R}^n \times \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n \times \mathbb{R}^n, \quad T(x, y) = (x, x-y), \quad T \equiv \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{I} & 0 \\ \mathbf{I} & -\mathbf{I} \end{pmatrix}, \\ S &: \mathbb{R}^n \times \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n \times \mathbb{R}^n, \quad S(x, y) = (y, x-y), \quad S \equiv \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \mathbf{I} \\ \mathbf{I} & -\mathbf{I} \end{pmatrix}. \end{aligned}$$

Let  $u \in \mathcal{D}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$  (or  $u \in \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ). Then using Fubini theorem for distributions we get

$$\begin{aligned} \langle u \otimes 1, f \rangle &= \langle (u \otimes 1)(x, y), \varphi(x) \psi(x-y) \rangle \\ &= \langle u(x), \langle 1(y), \varphi(x) \psi(x-y) \rangle \rangle \\ &= \langle u(x), \varphi(x) \langle 1(y), \psi(x-y) \rangle \rangle \\ &= \left\langle u(x), \varphi(x) \int \psi(x-y) dy \right\rangle \\ &= \left( \int \psi \right) \langle u, \varphi \rangle \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}\langle u \otimes 1, f \rangle &= \langle 1(y), \langle u(x), \varphi(x) \psi(x-y) \rangle \rangle \\ &= \int \langle u, \varphi \tau_y \psi \rangle dy.\end{aligned}$$

It follows that

$$\left( \int \psi \right) \langle u, \varphi \rangle = \int \langle u, \varphi \tau_y \psi \rangle dy$$

valid for

- (i)  $u \in \mathcal{D}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ,  $\varphi, \psi \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ;
- (ii)  $u \in \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ,  $\varphi, \psi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ .

We also have

$$\begin{aligned}\langle u \otimes 1, g \rangle &= \langle (u \otimes 1)(x, y), \varphi(y) \psi(x-y) \rangle \\ &= \langle u(x), \langle 1(y), \varphi(y) \psi(x-y) \rangle \rangle \\ &= \langle u(x), (\varphi * \psi)(x) \rangle \\ &= \langle u, \varphi * \psi \rangle\end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}\langle u \otimes 1, g \rangle &= \langle 1(y), \langle u(x), \varphi(y) \psi(x-y) \rangle \rangle \\ &= \int \varphi(y) \langle u, \tau_y \psi \rangle dy.\end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$\langle u, \varphi * \psi \rangle = \int \varphi(y) \langle u, \tau_y \psi \rangle dy$$

true for

- (i)  $u \in \mathcal{D}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ,  $\varphi, \psi \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ;
- (ii)  $u \in \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ,  $\varphi, \psi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ .

**Lemma 3.1.** *Let  $\varphi, \psi \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$  (or  $\varphi, \psi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ) and  $u \in \mathcal{D}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$  (or  $u \in \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ). Then*

$$(3.1) \quad \left( \int \psi \right) \langle u, \varphi \rangle = \int \langle u, \varphi \tau_y \psi \rangle dy$$

$$(3.2) \quad \langle u, \varphi * \psi \rangle = \int \varphi(y) \langle u, \tau_y \psi \rangle dy$$

If  $\varepsilon_1, \dots, \varepsilon_n$  is a basis in  $\mathbb{R}^n$ , we say that  $\Gamma = \bigoplus_{j=1}^n \mathbb{Z} \varepsilon_j$  is a lattice.

Let  $\Gamma \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  be a lattice. Let  $\psi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . Then  $\sum_{\gamma \in \Gamma} \tau_\gamma \psi = \sum_{\gamma \in \Gamma} \psi(\cdot - \gamma)$  is uniformly convergent on compact subsets of  $\mathbb{R}^n$ . Since  $\partial^\alpha \psi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ , it follows that there is  $\Psi \in \mathcal{C}^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$  such that

$$\Psi = \sum_{\gamma \in \Gamma} \tau_\gamma \psi = \sum_{\gamma \in \Gamma} \psi(\cdot - \gamma) \quad \text{in } \mathcal{C}^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n).$$

Moreover we have  $\tau_\gamma \Psi = \Psi(\cdot - \gamma) = \Psi$  for any  $\gamma \in \Gamma$ . From here we obtain that  $\Psi \in \mathcal{BC}^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . If  $\Psi(y) \neq 0$  for any  $y \in \mathbb{R}^n$ , then  $\frac{1}{\Psi} \in \mathcal{BC}^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$ .

Let  $\varphi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . Then

$$\varphi \Psi = \sum_{\gamma \in \Gamma} \varphi(\tau_\gamma \psi)$$

with the series convergent in  $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . Indeed we have

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{\gamma \in \Gamma} \langle x \rangle^k |\partial^\alpha \varphi(x) \partial^\beta \psi(x - \gamma)| \\ \leq \sup_y \langle y \rangle^{n+1} |\partial^\beta \psi(y)| \sum_{\gamma \in \Gamma} \langle x \rangle^k |\partial^\alpha \varphi(x) \langle x - \gamma \rangle^{-n-1}| \\ \leq 2^{\frac{n+1}{2}} \sup_y \langle y \rangle^{n+1} |\partial^\beta \psi(y)| \sup_z \langle z \rangle^{k+n+1} |\partial^\alpha \varphi(z)| \sum_{\gamma \in \Gamma} \langle \gamma \rangle^{-n-1}. \end{aligned}$$

This estimate proves the convergence of the series in  $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . Let  $\chi$  be the sum of the series  $\sum_{\gamma \in \Gamma} \varphi(\tau_\gamma \psi)$  in  $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . Then for any  $y \in \mathbb{R}^n$  we have

$$\begin{aligned} \chi(y) &= \langle \delta_y, \chi \rangle = \left\langle \delta_y, \sum_{\gamma \in \Gamma} \varphi(\tau_\gamma \psi) \right\rangle \\ &= \sum_{\gamma \in \Gamma} \langle \delta_y, \varphi(\tau_\gamma \psi) \rangle = \sum_{\gamma \in \Gamma} \varphi(y) \psi(y - \gamma) \\ &= \varphi(y) \Psi(y). \end{aligned}$$

So  $\varphi \Psi = \sum_{\gamma \in \Gamma} \varphi(\tau_\gamma \psi)$  in  $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ .

If  $\psi, \varphi \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$  and  $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  is replaced by  $\mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$ , then the previous observations are trivial.

**Lemma 3.2.** *Let  $u \in \mathcal{D}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$  (or  $u \in \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ) and  $\psi, \varphi \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$  (or  $\psi, \varphi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ). Then  $\Psi = \sum_{\gamma \in \Gamma} \tau_\gamma \psi \in \mathcal{BC}^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$  is  $\Gamma$ -periodic and*

$$(3.3) \quad \langle u, \Psi \varphi \rangle = \sum_{\gamma \in \Gamma} \langle u, (\tau_\gamma \psi) \varphi \rangle.$$

**Lemma 3.3.** (a) *Let  $\chi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  and  $u \in \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . Then  $\widehat{\chi u} \in \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^n) \cap \mathcal{C}_{pol}^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . In fact we have*

$$\widehat{\chi u}(\xi) = \left\langle e^{-i\langle \cdot, \xi \rangle} u, \chi \right\rangle = \left\langle u, e^{-i\langle \cdot, \xi \rangle} \chi \right\rangle, \quad \xi \in \mathbb{R}^n.$$

(b) *Let  $u \in \mathcal{D}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$  (or  $u \in \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ) and  $\chi \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$  (or  $\chi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ). Then*

$$\mathbb{R}^n \times \mathbb{R}^n \ni (y, \xi) \rightarrow \widehat{u \tau_y \chi}(\xi) = \left\langle u, e^{-i\langle \cdot, \xi \rangle} \chi(\cdot - y) \right\rangle \in \mathbb{C}$$

*is a  $\mathcal{C}^\infty$ -function.*

*Proof.* Let  $q : \mathbb{R}_x^n \times \mathbb{R}_\xi^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ ,  $q(x, \xi) = \langle x, \xi \rangle$ . Then  $e^{-iq}(u \otimes 1) \in \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}_x^n \times \mathbb{R}_\xi^n)$ . If  $\varphi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}_\xi^n)$ , then we have

$$\begin{aligned} \langle e^{-iq}(u \otimes 1), \chi \otimes \varphi \rangle &= \langle u \otimes 1, e^{-iq}(\chi \otimes \varphi) \rangle \\ &= \left\langle u(x), \left\langle 1(\xi), e^{-iq(x, \xi)} \chi(x) \varphi(\xi) \right\rangle \right\rangle \\ &= \left\langle u(x), \chi(x) \left\langle 1(\xi), e^{-i\langle x, \xi \rangle} \varphi(\xi) \right\rangle \right\rangle \\ &= \langle u, \chi \widehat{\varphi} \rangle = \langle \widehat{\chi u}, \varphi \rangle \end{aligned}$$

and

$$\begin{aligned}
\langle \widehat{\chi u}, \varphi \rangle &= \langle e^{-iq} (u \otimes 1), \chi \otimes \varphi \rangle \\
&= \left\langle 1(\xi), \left\langle u(x), e^{-i\langle x, \xi \rangle} \chi(x) \varphi(\xi) \right\rangle \right\rangle \\
&= \left\langle 1(\xi), \varphi(\xi) \left\langle u, e^{-i\langle \cdot, \xi \rangle} \chi \right\rangle \right\rangle \\
&= \left\langle 1(\xi), \varphi(\xi) \left\langle e^{-i\langle \cdot, \xi \rangle} u, \chi \right\rangle \right\rangle \\
&= \int \varphi(\xi) \left\langle e^{-i\langle \cdot, \xi \rangle} u, \chi \right\rangle d\xi
\end{aligned}$$

This proves that

$$\widehat{\chi u}(\xi) = \left\langle e^{-i\langle \cdot, \xi \rangle} u, \chi \right\rangle, \quad \xi \in \mathbb{R}^n.$$

□

Let  $u \in \mathcal{D}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$  (or  $u \in \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ) and  $\chi \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n) \setminus 0$  (or  $\chi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n) \setminus 0$ ). Let  $\tilde{\chi} \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$  (or  $\tilde{\chi} \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ) and  $\varphi \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . By using (3.1) we get

$$\begin{aligned}
\langle u \tau_z \tilde{\chi}, \varphi \rangle &= \frac{1}{\|\chi\|_{L^2}^2} \int \langle u \tau_z \tilde{\chi}, (\tau_y \chi) (\tau_y \bar{\chi}) \varphi \rangle dy \\
&= \frac{1}{\|\chi\|_{L^2}^2} \int \langle u \tau_y \chi, (\tau_z \tilde{\chi}) (\tau_y \bar{\chi}) \varphi \rangle dy,
\end{aligned}$$

$$|\langle u \tau_z \tilde{\chi}, \varphi \rangle| \leq \frac{1}{\|\chi\|_{L^2}^2} \int \|u \tau_y \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} \|(\tau_z \tilde{\chi}) (\tau_y \bar{\chi}) \varphi\|_{\mathcal{H}^{-s}} dy.$$

Let  $\Gamma \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  be a lattice. Let  $u \in \mathcal{D}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$  (or  $u \in \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ) and let  $\chi \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$  (or  $\chi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ) be such that

$$\Psi = \Psi_{\Gamma, \chi} = \sum_{\gamma \in \Gamma} |\tau_\gamma \chi|^2 > 0.$$

Then  $\Psi, \frac{1}{\Psi} \in \mathcal{BC}^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$  and both are  $\Gamma$ -periodic. Let  $\tilde{\chi} \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$  (or  $\tilde{\chi} \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ). Using (3.3) we obtain that

$$\begin{aligned}
\langle u \tau_z \tilde{\chi}, \varphi \rangle &= \sum_{\gamma \in \Gamma} \left\langle u \tau_\gamma \chi, \frac{1}{\Psi} (\tau_\gamma \bar{\chi}) (\tau_z \tilde{\chi}) \varphi \right\rangle, \\
|\langle u \tau_z \tilde{\chi}, \varphi \rangle| &\leq \sum_{\gamma \in \Gamma} \|u \tau_\gamma \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} \left\| \frac{1}{\Psi} (\tau_\gamma \bar{\chi}) (\tau_z \tilde{\chi}) \varphi \right\|_{\mathcal{H}^{-s}} \\
&\leq C_\Psi \sum_{\gamma \in \Gamma} \|u \tau_\gamma \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} \|(\tau_\gamma \bar{\chi}) (\tau_z \tilde{\chi}) \varphi\|_{\mathcal{H}^{-s}}.
\end{aligned}$$

In the last inequality we used the Proposition 2.4 and the fact that  $\frac{1}{\Psi} \in \mathcal{BC}^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$ .

If  $(Y, \mu)$  is either  $\mathbb{R}^n$  with Lebesgue measure or  $\Gamma$  with the counting measure, then the previous estimates can be written as:

$$|\langle u \tau_z \tilde{\chi}, \varphi \rangle| \leq Cst \int_Y \|u \tau_y \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} \|(\tau_z \tilde{\chi}) (\tau_y \bar{\chi}) \varphi\|_{\mathcal{H}^{-s}} d\mu(y)$$

We shall use Proposition 2.4 to estimate  $\|(\tau_z \tilde{\chi})(\tau_y \bar{\chi}) \varphi\|_{\mathcal{H}^{-s}}$ . Let us write  $m_s$  for  $\lfloor |\mathbf{s}|_1 + \frac{n+1}{2} \rfloor + 1$ . Then we have

$$\|(\tau_z \tilde{\chi})(\tau_y \bar{\chi}) \varphi\|_{\mathcal{H}^{-s}} \leq Cst \sup_{|\alpha+\beta| \leq m_s} |((\tau_z \partial^\alpha \tilde{\chi})(\tau_y \partial^\beta \bar{\chi}))| \|\varphi\|_{\mathcal{H}^{-s}}.$$

For any  $N \in \mathbb{N}$  there is a continuous seminorm  $p = p_{N,s}$  on  $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  so that

$$\begin{aligned} |(\tau_z \partial^\alpha \tilde{\chi})(\tau_y \partial^\beta \bar{\chi})(x)| &\leq p(\tilde{\chi}) p(\chi) \langle x-z \rangle^{-2N} \langle x-y \rangle^{-2N} \\ &\leq 2^N p(\tilde{\chi}) p(\chi) \langle 2x-z-y \rangle^{-N} \langle z-y \rangle^{-N} \\ &\leq 2^N p(\tilde{\chi}) p(\chi) \langle z-y \rangle^{-N}, \quad |\alpha+\beta| \leq m_s. \end{aligned}$$

Here we used the inequality

$$\langle X \rangle^{-2N} \langle Y \rangle^{-2N} \leq 2^N \langle X+Y \rangle^{-N} \langle X-Y \rangle^{-N}, \quad X, Y \in \mathbb{R}^m$$

which is a consequence of Peetre's inequality:

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \langle X+Y \rangle^N &\leq 2^{\frac{N}{2}} \langle X \rangle^N \langle Y \rangle^N \\ \langle X-Y \rangle^N &\leq 2^{\frac{N}{2}} \langle X \rangle^N \langle Y \rangle^N \end{aligned} \right\} \Rightarrow \langle X+Y \rangle^N \langle X-Y \rangle^N \leq 2^N \langle X \rangle^{2N} \langle Y \rangle^{2N}$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} \sup_{|\alpha+\beta| \leq m_s} |((\tau_z \partial^\alpha \tilde{\chi})(\tau_y \partial^\beta \bar{\chi}))| &\leq 2^N p_{N,s}(\tilde{\chi}) p_{N,s}(\chi) \langle z-y \rangle^{-N}, \\ \|(\tau_z \tilde{\chi})(\tau_y \bar{\chi}) \varphi\|_{\mathcal{H}^{-s}} &\leq C(N, s, \chi, \tilde{\chi}) \langle z-y \rangle^{-N} \|\varphi\|_{\mathcal{H}^{-s}}, \\ |\langle u \tau_z \tilde{\chi}, \varphi \rangle| &\leq C(N, s, \chi, \tilde{\chi}) \left( \int_Y \|u \tau_y \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} \langle z-y \rangle^{-N} d\mu(y) \right) \|\varphi\|_{\mathcal{H}^{-s}}. \end{aligned}$$

The last estimate implies that

$$\|u \tau_z \tilde{\chi}\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} \leq C(N, s, \chi, \tilde{\chi}) \left( \int_Y \|u \tau_y \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} \langle z-y \rangle^{-N} d\mu(y) \right)$$

Let  $N = n+1$  and  $1 \leq p < \infty$ . If  $(Z, \nu)$  is either  $\mathbb{R}^n$  with Lebesgue measure or a lattice with the counting measure, then Schur's lemma implies

$$\left( \int_Z \|u \tau_z \tilde{\chi}\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^p d\nu(z) \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \leq C'(n, s, \chi, \tilde{\chi}) \left\| \langle \cdot \rangle^{-n-1} \right\|_{L^1} \left( \int_Y \|u \tau_y \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^p d\mu(y) \right)^{\frac{1}{p}}$$

For  $p = \infty$  we have

$$\sup_z \|u \tau_z \tilde{\chi}\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} \leq C'(n, s, \chi, \tilde{\chi}) \left\| \langle \cdot \rangle^{-n-1} \right\|_{L^1} \sup_y \|u \tau_y \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^p.$$

By taking different combinations of  $(Y, \mu)$  and  $(Z, \nu)$  we obtain the following result.

**Proposition 3.4.** *Let  $u \in \mathcal{D}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$  (or  $u \in \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ) and  $\chi \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n) \setminus 0$  (or  $\chi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n) \setminus 0$ ). Let  $1 \leq p < \infty$ .*

(a) *If  $\tilde{\chi} \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$  (or  $\tilde{\chi} \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ), then there is  $C(n, s, \chi, \tilde{\chi}) > 0$  such that*

$$\begin{aligned} \left( \int \|u \tau_{\tilde{y}} \tilde{\chi}\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} d\tilde{y} \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} &\leq C(n, s, \chi, \tilde{\chi}) \left( \int \|u \tau_y \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^p dy \right)^{\frac{1}{p}}, \\ \sup_{\tilde{y}} \|u \tau_{\tilde{y}} \tilde{\chi}\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} &\leq C(n, s, \chi, \tilde{\chi}) \sup_y \|u \tau_y \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}. \end{aligned}$$

(b) If  $\Gamma \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  is a lattice such that

$$\Psi = \Psi_{\Gamma, \chi} = \sum_{\gamma \in \Gamma} |\tau_{\gamma} \chi|^2 > 0$$

and  $\tilde{\chi} \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$  (or  $\tilde{\chi} \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ), then there is  $C(n, \mathbf{s}, \Gamma, \chi, \tilde{\chi}) > 0$  such that

$$\begin{aligned} \left( \int \|u \tau_{\tilde{y}} \tilde{\chi}\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} d\tilde{y} \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} &\leq C(n, \mathbf{s}, \Gamma, \chi, \tilde{\chi}) \left( \sum_{\gamma \in \Gamma} \|u \tau_{\gamma} \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}}, \\ \sup_{\tilde{y}} \|u \tau_{\tilde{y}} \tilde{\chi}\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} &\leq C(n, \mathbf{s}, \Gamma, \chi, \tilde{\chi}) \sup_{\gamma} \|u \tau_{\gamma} \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}. \end{aligned}$$

(c) If  $\tilde{\Gamma} \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  is a lattice and  $\tilde{\chi} \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$  (or  $\tilde{\chi} \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ), then there is  $C(n, \mathbf{s}, \tilde{\Gamma}, \chi, \tilde{\chi}) > 0$  such that

$$\begin{aligned} \left( \sum_{\tilde{\gamma} \in \tilde{\Gamma}} \|u \tau_{\tilde{\gamma}} \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} &\leq C(n, \mathbf{s}, \tilde{\Gamma}, \chi, \tilde{\chi}) \left( \int \|u \tau_y \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^p dy \right)^{\frac{1}{p}}, \\ \sup_{\tilde{\gamma}} \|u \tau_{\tilde{\gamma}} \tilde{\chi}\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} &\leq C(n, \mathbf{s}, \tilde{\Gamma}, \chi, \tilde{\chi}) \sup_y \|u \tau_y \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}. \end{aligned}$$

(d) If  $\Gamma, \tilde{\Gamma} \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  are lattices such that

$$\Psi = \Psi_{\Gamma, \chi} = \sum_{\gamma \in \Gamma} |\tau_{\gamma} \chi|^2 > 0$$

and  $\tilde{\chi} \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$  (or  $\tilde{\chi} \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ), then there is  $C(n, \mathbf{s}, \Gamma, \tilde{\Gamma}, \chi, \tilde{\chi}) > 0$  such that

$$\begin{aligned} \left( \sum_{\tilde{\gamma} \in \tilde{\Gamma}} \|u \tau_{\tilde{\gamma}} \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} &\leq C(n, \mathbf{s}, \Gamma, \chi, \tilde{\chi}) \left( \sum_{\gamma \in \Gamma} \|u \tau_{\gamma} \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}}, \\ \sup_{\tilde{\gamma}} \|u \tau_{\tilde{\gamma}} \tilde{\chi}\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} &\leq C(n, \mathbf{s}, \Gamma, \chi, \tilde{\chi}) \sup_{\gamma} \|u \tau_{\gamma} \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}. \end{aligned}$$

**Definition 3.5.** Let  $1 \leq p \leq \infty$ ,  $\mathbf{s} \in \mathbb{R}^j$  and  $u \in \mathcal{D}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . We say that  $u$  belongs to  $\mathcal{K}_p^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  if there is  $\chi \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n) \setminus 0$  such that the measurable function  $\mathbb{R}^n \ni y \rightarrow \|u \tau_y \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} \in \mathbb{R}$  belongs to  $L^p(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . We put

$$\begin{aligned} \|u\|_{\mathbf{s}, p, \chi} &= \left( \int \|u \tau_y \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^p dy \right)^{\frac{1}{p}}, \quad 1 \leq p < \infty, \\ \|u\|_{\mathbf{s}, \infty, \chi} &\equiv \|u\|_{\mathbf{s}, \mathbf{u}1, \chi} = \sup_y \|u \tau_y \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}. \end{aligned}$$

**Proposition 3.6.** (a) The above definition does not depend on the choice of the function  $\chi \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n) \setminus 0$ .

(b) If  $\chi \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n) \setminus 0$ , then  $\|\cdot\|_{\mathbf{s}, p, \chi}$  is a norm on  $\mathcal{K}_p^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  and the topology that defines does not depend on the function  $\chi$ .

(c) Let  $\Gamma \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  be a lattice and  $\chi \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$  be a function with the property that

$$\Psi = \Psi_{\Gamma, \chi} = \sum_{\gamma \in \Gamma} |\tau_{\gamma} \chi|^2 > 0.$$

Then

$$\mathcal{K}_p^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n) \ni u \rightarrow \begin{cases} \left( \sum_{\gamma \in \Gamma} \|u\tau_{\gamma}\chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}}^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} & 1 \leq p < \infty \\ \sup_{\gamma} \|u\tau_{\gamma}\chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}} & p = \infty \end{cases}$$

is a norm on  $\mathcal{K}_p^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  and the topology that defines is the topology of  $\mathcal{K}_p^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . We shall use the notation

$$\|u\|_{\mathbf{s},p,\Gamma,\chi} = \begin{cases} \left( \sum_{\gamma \in \Gamma} \|u\tau_{\gamma}\chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}}^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} & 1 \leq p < \infty \\ \sup_{\gamma} \|u\tau_{\gamma}\chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}} & p = \infty \end{cases}.$$

(d) If  $1 \leq p \leq q \leq \infty$ , Then

$$\mathcal{K}_1^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \mathcal{K}_p^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \mathcal{K}_q^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \mathcal{K}_{\infty}^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n) \equiv \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^n).$$

- (e) If  $s'_1 \leq s_1, \dots, s'_j \leq s_j$ , then  $\mathcal{K}_p^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \mathcal{K}_p^{\mathbf{s}'}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ .
- (f)  $(\mathcal{K}_p^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n), \|\cdot\|_{\mathbf{s},p,\chi})$  is a Banach space.
- (g)  $u \in \mathcal{K}_p^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  if and only if there is  $l \in \{1, \dots, j\}$  such that  $u, \partial_k u \in \mathcal{K}_p^{\mathbf{s}-\delta_l}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  for any  $k \in N_l$ , where  $\delta_l = (\delta_{l1}, \dots, \delta_{lj})$ .
- (h) If  $s_1 > n_1/2, \dots, s_j > n_j/2$ , then  $\mathcal{K}_{\infty}^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n) \equiv \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \mathcal{BC}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ .

*Proof.* (a) (b) (c) are immediate consequences of the previous proposition.

(d) The inclusions  $\mathcal{K}_1^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \mathcal{K}_p^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \mathcal{K}_q^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \mathcal{K}_{\infty}^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  are consequences of the elementary inclusions  $l^1 \subset l^p \subset l^q \subset l^{\infty}$ . What remains to be shown is the inclusion  $\mathcal{K}_{\infty}^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n) \equiv \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . Let  $u \in \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ,  $\chi \in \mathcal{C}_0^{\infty}(\mathbb{R}^n) \setminus 0$  and  $\varphi \in \mathcal{C}_0^{\infty}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . We have

$$\begin{aligned} \langle u, \varphi \rangle &= \frac{1}{\|\chi\|_{L^2}^2} \int \langle u, (\tau_y \chi) (\tau_y \bar{\chi}) \varphi \rangle \, dy \\ &= \frac{1}{\|\chi\|_{L^2}^2} \int \langle u \tau_y \chi, (\tau_y \bar{\chi}) \varphi \rangle \, dy, \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} |\langle u, \varphi \rangle| &\leq \frac{1}{\|\chi\|_{L^2}^2} \int |\langle u \tau_y \chi, (\tau_y \bar{\chi}) \varphi \rangle| \, dy \\ &\leq \frac{1}{\|\chi\|_{L^2}^2} \int \|u \tau_y \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}} \|(\tau_y \bar{\chi}) \varphi\|_{\mathcal{H}^{-\mathbf{s}}} \, dy \\ &\leq \frac{1}{\|\chi\|_{L^2}^2} \|u\|_{\mathbf{s},\infty,\chi} \int \|(\tau_y \bar{\chi}) \varphi\|_{\mathcal{H}^{-\mathbf{s}}} \, dy \end{aligned}$$

We shall use Proposition 2.4 to estimate  $\|(\tau_y \bar{\chi}) \varphi\|_{\mathcal{H}^{-\mathbf{s}}}$ . Let  $\tilde{\chi} \in \mathcal{C}_0^{\infty}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ,  $\tilde{\chi} = 1$  on  $\text{supp} \chi$ . If  $m_{\mathbf{s}} = \lceil |\mathbf{s}|_1 + \frac{n+1}{2} \rceil + 1$ , then we obtain that

$$\begin{aligned} \|(\tau_y \bar{\chi}) \varphi\|_{\mathcal{H}^{-\mathbf{s}}} &\leq C \sup_{|\alpha+\beta| \leq m_{\mathbf{s}}} |(\partial^{\alpha} \varphi) (\tau_y \partial^{\alpha} \bar{\chi})| \|\tau_y \tilde{\chi}\|_{\mathcal{H}^{-\mathbf{s}}} \\ &= C \sup_{|\alpha+\beta| \leq m_{\mathbf{s}}} |(\partial^{\alpha} \varphi) (\tau_y \partial^{\alpha} \bar{\chi})| \|\tilde{\chi}\|_{\mathcal{H}^{-\mathbf{s}}}. \end{aligned}$$

Since  $\chi, \varphi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  it follows that there is a continuous seminorm  $p = p_{n,s}$  on  $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  so that

$$\begin{aligned} |(\partial^\alpha \varphi)(\tau_y \partial^\beta \bar{\chi})(x)| &\leq p(\varphi) p(\chi) \langle x - y \rangle^{-2(n+1)} \langle x \rangle^{-2(n+1)} \\ &\leq 2^{n+1} p(\varphi) p(\chi) \langle 2x - y \rangle^{-(n+1)} \langle y \rangle^{-(n+1)} \\ &\leq 2^{n+1} p(\varphi) p(\chi) \langle y \rangle^{-(n+1)}, \quad |\alpha + \beta| \leq m_s. \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$|\langle u, \varphi \rangle| \leq 2^{n+1} C \frac{1}{\|\chi\|_{L^2}^2} \|u\|_{s, \infty, \chi} \left\| \langle \cdot \rangle^{-(n+1)} \right\|_{L^1} \|\tilde{\chi}\|_{\mathcal{H}^{-s}} p(\chi) p(\varphi).$$

(e) is trivial.

(f) Let  $\{u_n\}$  be a Cauchy sequence in  $\mathcal{K}_p^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . Since  $\mathcal{K}_p^s(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$  and  $\mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$  is sequentially complete, there is  $u \in \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$  such that  $u_n \rightarrow u$  in  $\mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$ .

Let  $\Gamma \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  be a lattice and  $\chi \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$  be a function with the property that

$$\Psi = \Psi_{\Gamma, \chi} = \sum_{\gamma \in \Gamma} |\tau_\gamma \chi|^2 > 0.$$

Then for any  $\gamma \in \Gamma$  there is  $u_\gamma \in \mathcal{H}^s$  such that  $u_n \tau_\gamma \chi \rightarrow u_\gamma$  in  $\mathcal{H}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . As  $u_n \rightarrow u$  in  $\mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$  it follows that  $u_\gamma = u \tau_\gamma \chi$  for any  $\gamma \in \Gamma$ .

Since  $\{u_n\}$  is a Cauchy sequence in  $\mathcal{K}_p^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$  there is  $M \in (0, \infty)$  such that  $\|u_n\|_{s, p, \Gamma, \chi} \leq M$  for any  $n \in \mathbb{N}$ . Let  $\varepsilon > 0$ . Then there is  $n_\varepsilon$  such that if  $m, n \geq n_\varepsilon$ , then  $\|u_m - u_n\|_{s, p, \Gamma, \chi} < \varepsilon$ .

Let  $F \subset \Gamma$  a finite subset. Then

$$\begin{aligned} \left( \sum_{\gamma \in F} \|u \tau_\gamma \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} &\leq \left( \sum_{\gamma \in F} \|u \tau_\gamma \chi - u_n \tau_\gamma \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} + \left( \sum_{\gamma \in F} \|u_n \tau_\gamma \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \\ &\leq \left( \sum_{\gamma \in F} \|u \tau_\gamma \chi - u_n \tau_\gamma \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} + M \end{aligned}$$

By passing to the limit we obtain  $\left( \sum_{\gamma \in F} \|u \tau_\gamma \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \leq M$  for any  $F \subset \Gamma$  a finite subset. Hence  $u \in \mathcal{K}_p^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ .

For  $F \subset \Gamma$  a finite subset and  $m, n \geq n_\varepsilon$  we have

$$\begin{aligned} &\left( \sum_{\gamma \in F} \|u \tau_\gamma \chi - u_n \tau_\gamma \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \\ &\leq \left( \sum_{\gamma \in F} \|u \tau_\gamma \chi - u_m \tau_\gamma \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} + \left( \sum_{\gamma \in F} \|u_m \tau_\gamma \chi - u_n \tau_\gamma \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \\ &\leq \left( \sum_{\gamma \in F} \|u \tau_\gamma \chi - u_m \tau_\gamma \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} + \varepsilon \end{aligned}$$

By letting  $m \rightarrow \infty$  we obtain  $\left(\sum_{\gamma \in F} \|u\tau_\gamma \chi - u_n \tau_\gamma \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^p\right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \leq \varepsilon$  for any  $F \subset \Gamma$  a finite subset and  $n \geq n_\varepsilon$ . This implies that  $u_n \rightarrow u$  in  $\mathcal{K}_p^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . The case  $p = \infty$  is even simpler.  $\square$

**Proposition 3.7.** *Let  $\mathbf{s}, \mathbf{t}, \varepsilon, \sigma(\varepsilon) \in \mathbb{R}^j$  such that,  $s_l + t_l > n_l/2$ ,  $0 < \varepsilon_l < s_l + t_l - n_l/2$ ,  $\sigma_l(\varepsilon) = \sigma_l(\varepsilon_l) = \min\{s_l, t_l, s_l + t_l - n_l/2 - \varepsilon_l\}$  for any  $l \in \{1, \dots, j\}$ . If  $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = \frac{1}{r}$ , then*

$$\mathcal{K}_p^s(\mathbb{R}^n) \cdot \mathcal{H}_q^t(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \mathcal{H}_r^\sigma(\mathbb{R}^n)$$

*Proof.* Let  $\chi \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n) \setminus 0$ ,  $u \in \mathcal{K}_p^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$  și  $v \in \mathcal{H}_q^t(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . By using Proposition 2.9 we obtain that  $uv\tau_y \chi^2 \in \mathcal{H}^\sigma$  and

$$\|uv\tau_y \chi^2\|_{\mathcal{H}^\sigma} \leq C \|u\tau_y \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} \|v\tau_y \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^t}$$

Finally, Hölder's inequality implies that

$$\|uv\|_{\sigma, r, \chi^2} \leq C \|u\|_{s, p, \chi} \|v\|_{s, q, \chi}$$

$\square$

**Corollary 3.8.** *Let  $\mathbf{s} \in \mathbb{R}^j$  and  $1 \leq p \leq \infty$ . If  $s_1 > n_1/2, \dots, s_j > n_j/2$ , then  $\mathcal{K}_p^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$  is an ideal in  $\mathcal{K}_\infty^s(\mathbb{R}^n) \equiv \mathcal{H}_{u1}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$  with respect to the usual product.*

Now using the techniques of Coifman and Meyer, developed for the study of Beurling algebras  $A_\omega$  and  $B_\omega$  (see [Co-Me] pp 7-10), we shall prove an interesting result.

**Theorem 3.9.**  $\mathcal{H}^s(\mathbb{R}^n) = \mathcal{K}_2^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ .

To prove the result, we shall use partition of unity built in the previous section. Let  $N \in \mathbb{N}$  and  $\{x_1, \dots, x_N\} \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  be such that

$$[0, 1]^n \subset \left(x_1 + \left[\frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3}\right]^n\right) \cup \dots \cup \left(x_N + \left[\frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3}\right]^n\right)$$

Let  $\tilde{h} \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ,  $\tilde{h} \geq 0$ , be such that  $\tilde{h} = 1$  on  $\left[\frac{1}{3}, \frac{2}{3}\right]^n$  and  $\text{supp } \tilde{h} \subset \left[\frac{1}{4}, \frac{3}{4}\right]^n$ . Then

- (a)  $\tilde{H} = \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \tau_{\gamma+x_i} \tilde{h} \in \mathcal{BC}^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$  is  $\mathbb{Z}^n$ -periodic and  $\tilde{H} \geq 1$ .
- (b)  $h_i = \frac{\tau_{x_i} \tilde{h}}{\tilde{H}} \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ,  $h_i \geq 0$ ,  $\text{supp } h_i \subset x_i + \left[\frac{1}{4}, \frac{3}{4}\right]^n = K_i$ ,  $(K_i - K_i) \cap \mathbb{Z}^n = \{0\}$ ,  $i = 1, \dots, N$ .
- (c)  $\chi_i = \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \tau_\gamma h_i \in \mathcal{BC}^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$  is  $\mathbb{Z}^n$ -periodic,  $i = 1, \dots, N$  and  $\sum_{i=1}^N \chi_i = 1$ .
- (d)  $h = \sum_{i=1}^N h_i \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ,  $h \geq 0$ ,  $\sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \tau_\gamma h = 1$ .

**Lemma 3.10.**  $\mathcal{K}_2^s(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \mathcal{H}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ .

*Proof.* Let  $u \in \mathcal{K}_2^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . We have

$$u = \sum_{j=1}^N \chi_j u \quad \text{with} \quad \chi_j u = \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} (\tau_\gamma h_j) u.$$

Since  $u \in \mathcal{K}_2^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$  applying Proposition 3.4 we get that

$$\sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \|(\tau_\gamma h_j) u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^2 < \infty.$$

Using Lemma 2.3 it follows that  $\chi_j u \in \mathcal{H}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$  and

$$\|\chi_j u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} \approx \left( \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \|(\tau_\gamma h_j) u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^2 \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \leq C_j \|u\|_{s,2}$$

where  $\|\cdot\|_{s,2}$  is a fixed norm on  $\mathcal{K}_2^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . So  $u = \sum_{j=1}^N \chi_j u \in \mathcal{H}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$  and

$$\|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} \leq \sum_{j=1}^N \|\chi_j u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} \leq \left( \sum_{j=1}^N C_j \right) \|u\|_{s,2}.$$

□

**Lemma 3.11.**  $\mathcal{H}^s(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \mathcal{K}_2^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ .

*Proof.* Then the following statements are equivalent:

- (i)  $u \in \mathcal{H}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$
- (ii)  $\chi_j u \in \mathcal{H}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ,  $j = 1, \dots, N$ . (Here we use Proposition 2.1 (c))
- (iii)  $\{ \|(\tau_\gamma h_j) u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} \}_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \in l^2(\mathbb{Z}^n)$ ,  $j = 1, \dots, N$ . (Here we use Lemma 2.3)

Since  $h = \sum_{j=1}^N h_j$  and

$$\|(\tau_\gamma h) u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} \leq \sum_{j=1}^N \|(\tau_\gamma h_j) u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}, \quad \gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n$$

we get that  $\{ \|(\tau_\gamma h) u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} \}_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \in l^2(\mathbb{Z}^n)$ . Since  $h = \sum_{j=1}^N h_j \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ,  $h \geq 0$ ,  $\sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \tau_\gamma h = 1$  it follows that  $u \in \mathcal{K}_2^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$  and

$$\begin{aligned} \|u\|_{s,2,h} &\approx \left\| \{ \|(\tau_\gamma h) u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} \}_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \right\|_{l^2(\mathbb{Z}^n)} \\ &\leq \sum_{j=1}^N \left\| \{ \|(\tau_\gamma h_j) u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} \}_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \right\|_{l^2(\mathbb{Z}^n)} \\ &\approx \sum_{j=1}^N \|\chi_j u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} \leq Cst \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}. \end{aligned}$$

□

**Corollary 3.12** (Kato). *Let  $s, t, \varepsilon, \sigma(\varepsilon) \in \mathbb{R}^j$  such that,  $s_l + t_l > n_l/2$ ,  $0 < \varepsilon_l < s_l + t_l - n_l/2$ ,  $\sigma_l(\varepsilon) = \sigma_l(\varepsilon_l) = \min \{s_l, t_l, s_l + t_l - n_l/2 - \varepsilon_l\}$  for any  $l \in \{1, \dots, j\}$ . Then*

$$\mathcal{H}_{ul}^s(\mathbb{R}^n) \cdot \mathcal{H}^t(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \mathcal{H}^\sigma(\mathbb{R}^n), \quad \mathcal{H}^s(\mathbb{R}^n) \cdot \mathcal{H}_{ul}^t(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \mathcal{H}^\sigma(\mathbb{R}^n).$$

**Lemma 3.13.** *If  $1 \leq p < \infty$ , then  $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  is dense in  $\mathcal{K}_p^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ .*

*Proof.* (i) Let  $\psi \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$  be such that  $\psi = 1$  on  $B(0, 1)$ ,  $\psi^\varepsilon(x) = \psi(\varepsilon x)$ ,  $0 < \varepsilon \leq 1$ ,  $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ . If  $u \in \mathcal{H}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ , then  $\psi^\varepsilon u \rightarrow u$  in  $\mathcal{H}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . Moreover we have

$$\|\psi^\varepsilon u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} \leq C(s, n, \psi) \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}, \quad 0 < \varepsilon \leq 1,$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
C(s, n, \psi) &= (2\pi)^{-n} 2^{|\mathbf{s}|_1/2} \sup_{0 < \varepsilon \leq 1} \left( \int \langle \eta \rangle^{|\mathbf{s}|_1} \varepsilon^{-n} |\widehat{\psi}(\eta/\varepsilon)| d\eta \right) \\
&= (2\pi)^{-n} 2^{|\mathbf{s}|_1/2} \sup_{0 < \varepsilon \leq 1} \left( \int \langle \varepsilon \eta \rangle^{|\mathbf{s}|_1} |\widehat{\psi}(\eta)| d\eta \right) \\
&= (2\pi)^{-n} 2^{|\mathbf{s}|_1/2} \left( \int \langle \eta \rangle^{|\mathbf{s}|_1} |\widehat{\psi}(\eta)| d\eta \right).
\end{aligned}$$

(ii) Suppose that  $u \in \mathcal{K}_p^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . Let  $F \subset \mathbb{Z}^n$  be an arbitrary finite subset. Then the subadditivity property of the norm  $\|\cdot\|_{l^p}$  implies that:

$$\begin{aligned}
\|\psi^\varepsilon u - u\|_{\mathbf{s}, p, \mathbb{Z}^n, \chi} &\leq \left( \sum_{\gamma \in F} \|\psi^\varepsilon u \tau_\gamma \chi - u \tau_\gamma \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}}^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} + \left( \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n \setminus F} \|\psi^\varepsilon u \tau_\gamma \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}}^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \\
&\quad + \left( \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n \setminus F} \|u \tau_\gamma \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}}^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \\
&\leq \left( \sum_{\gamma \in F} \|\psi^\varepsilon u \tau_\gamma \chi - u \tau_\gamma \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}}^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} + (C(s, n, \psi) + 1) \left( \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n \setminus F} \|u \tau_\gamma \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}}^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}}
\end{aligned}$$

By making  $\varepsilon \rightarrow 0$  we deduce that

$$\limsup_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0} \|\psi^\varepsilon u - u\|_{\mathbf{s}, p, \mathbb{Z}^n, \chi} \leq (C(s, n, \psi) + 1) \left( \sum_{\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n \setminus F} \|u \tau_\gamma \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}}^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}}$$

for any  $F \subset \mathbb{Z}^n$  finite subset. Hence  $\lim_{\varepsilon \rightarrow 0} \psi^\varepsilon u = u$  in  $\mathcal{K}_p^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . The immediate consequence is that

(iii)  $\mathcal{E}'(\mathbb{R}^n) \cap \mathcal{K}_p^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  is dense in  $\mathcal{K}_p^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ .

(iv) Suppose that  $u \in \mathcal{E}'(\mathbb{R}^n) \cap \mathcal{K}_p^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . Let  $\varphi \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$  be such that  $\text{supp } \varphi \subset B(0; 1)$ ,  $\int \varphi(x) dx = 1$ . For  $\varepsilon \in (0, 1]$ , we set  $\varphi_\varepsilon = \varepsilon^{-n} \varphi(\cdot/\varepsilon)$ . Let  $K = \text{supp } u + \overline{B(0; 1)}$ . Let  $\chi \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n) \setminus 0$ . Then there is a finite set  $F = F_{K, \chi} \subset \mathbb{Z}^n$  such that  $(\tau_\gamma \chi)(\varphi_\varepsilon * u - u) = 0$  for any  $\gamma \in \mathbb{Z}^n \setminus F$ . It follows that

$$\begin{aligned}
\|\varphi_\varepsilon * u - u\|_{\mathbf{s}, p, \mathbb{Z}^n, \chi} &= \left( \sum_{\gamma \in F} \|(\tau_\gamma \chi)(\varphi_\varepsilon * u - u)\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}}^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \\
&\approx \left( \sum_{\gamma \in F} \|(\tau_\gamma \chi)(\varphi_\varepsilon * u - u)\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}}^2 \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \\
&\approx \|\varphi_\varepsilon * u - u\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}} \rightarrow 0, \quad \text{as } \varepsilon \rightarrow 0.
\end{aligned}$$

□

We end this section with an interpolation result. We choose  $\chi_{\mathbb{Z}^n} \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$  so that  $\sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \chi_{\mathbb{Z}^n}(\cdot - k) = 1$ . For  $k \in \mathbb{Z}^n$  we define the operator

$$S_k : \mathcal{D}'(\mathbb{R}^n) \rightarrow \mathcal{D}'(\mathbb{R}^n), \quad S_k u = (\tau_k \chi_{\mathbb{Z}^n}) u.$$

Now from the definition of  $\mathcal{K}_p^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  it follows that the linear operator

$$S : \mathcal{K}_p^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n) \rightarrow l^p(\mathbb{Z}^n, \mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n)), \quad Su = (S_k u)_{k \in \mathbb{Z}^n}$$

is well defined and continuous.

On the other hand, for any  $\chi \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$  the operator

$$\begin{aligned} R_\chi : l^p(\mathbb{Z}^n, \mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n)) &\rightarrow \mathcal{K}_p^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n), \\ R_\chi((u_k)_{k \in \mathbb{Z}^n}) &= \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}^n} (\tau_k \chi) u_k \end{aligned}$$

is well defined and continuous.

Let  $\underline{\mathbf{u}} = (u_k)_{k \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \in l^p(\mathbb{Z}^n, \mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n))$ . Using Proposition 2.4 we get

$$\|(\tau_{k'} \chi_{\mathbb{Z}^n})(\tau_k \chi) u_k\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}} \leq Cst \sup_{|\alpha + \beta| \leq m_{\mathbf{s}}} |((\tau_{k'} \partial^\alpha \chi_{\mathbb{Z}^n})(\tau_k \partial^\beta \chi))| \|u_k\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}}.$$

where  $m_{\mathbf{s}} = [|s|_1 + \frac{n+1}{2}] + 1$ . Now for some continuous seminorm  $p = p_{n, \mathbf{s}}$  on  $\mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  we have

$$\begin{aligned} |((\tau_{k'} \partial^\alpha \chi_{\mathbb{Z}^n})(\tau_k \partial^\beta \chi))(x)| &\leq p(\chi_{\mathbb{Z}^n}) p(\chi) \langle x - k' \rangle^{-2(n+1)} \langle x - k \rangle^{-2(n+1)} \\ &\leq 2^{n+1} p(\chi_{\mathbb{Z}^n}) p(\chi) \langle 2x - k' - k \rangle^{-n-1} \langle k' - k \rangle^{-n-1} \\ &\leq 2^{n+1} p(\chi_{\mathbb{Z}^n}) p(\chi) \langle k' - k \rangle^{-n-1}, \quad |\alpha + \beta| \leq m_{\mathbf{s}}. \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} \sup_{|\alpha + \beta| \leq m_{\mathbf{s}}} |((\tau_{k'} \partial^\alpha \chi_{\mathbb{Z}^n})(\tau_k \partial^\beta \chi))| &\leq 2^{n+1} p(\chi_{\mathbb{Z}^n}) p(\chi) \langle k' - k \rangle^{-n-1}, \\ \|(\tau_{k'} \chi_{\mathbb{Z}^n})(\tau_k \chi) u_k\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}} &\leq C(n, \mathbf{s}, \chi_{\mathbb{Z}^n}, \chi) \langle k' - k \rangle^{-n-1} \|u_k\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}}. \end{aligned}$$

The last estimate implies that

$$\|(\tau_{k'} \chi_{\mathbb{Z}^n}) R_\chi(\underline{\mathbf{u}})\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}} \leq C(n, \mathbf{s}, \chi_{\mathbb{Z}^n}, \chi) \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \langle k' - k \rangle^{-n-1} \|u_k\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}}.$$

Now Schur's lemma implies the result

$$\left( \sum_{k' \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \|(\tau_{k'} \chi_{\mathbb{Z}^n}) R_\chi(\underline{\mathbf{u}})\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}}^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \leq C'(n, \mathbf{s}, \chi_{\mathbb{Z}^n}, \chi) \left\| \langle \cdot \rangle^{-n-1} \right\|_{L^1} \left( \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}^n} \|u_k\|_{\mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}}^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}}.$$

If  $\chi = 1$  on a neighborhood of  $\text{supp} \chi_{\mathbb{Z}^n}$ , then  $\chi \chi_{\mathbb{Z}^n} = \chi_{\mathbb{Z}^n}$  and as a consequence  $R_\chi S = \text{Id}_{S_w^p(\mathbb{R}^n)}$ :

$$\begin{aligned} R_\chi S u &= \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}^n} (\tau_k \chi) S_k u = \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}^n} (\tau_k \chi) (\tau_k \chi_{\mathbb{Z}^n}) u \\ &= \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}^n} (\tau_k \chi_{\mathbb{Z}^n}) u = u. \end{aligned}$$

Thus we proved the following result.

**Proposition 3.14.** *Under the above conditions, the operator  $R_\chi : l^p(\mathbb{Z}^n, \mathcal{H}^{\mathbf{s}}) \rightarrow \mathcal{K}_p^{\mathbf{s}}$  is a retract.*

Using the results of [Tri] section 1.18 we obtain the following corollary.

**Corollary 3.15.** *For  $0 < \theta < 1$*

$$\mathcal{K}_{\frac{1}{1-\theta}}^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n) = [\mathcal{K}_1^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n), \mathcal{K}_\infty^{\mathbf{s}}(\mathbb{R}^n)]_\theta$$

## 4. WIENER-LÉVY THEOREM FOR KATO-SOBOLEV ALGEBRAS

We shall work only in the case  $j = 1$ , i.e. only in the case of the usual Kato-Sobolev spaces. The case  $j > 1$  can be treated in the same way but with more complicated notations and statements which can hide the ideas and the beauty of some arguments. So

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{H}^s(\mathbb{R}^n) &= \left\{ u \in \mathcal{S}'(\mathbb{R}^n) : (1 - \Delta_{\mathbb{R}^n})^{s/2} u \in L^2(\mathbb{R}^n) \right\}, \\ \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} &= \left\| (1 - \Delta_{\mathbb{R}^n})^{s/2} u \right\|_{L^2}, \quad u \in \mathcal{H}^s,\end{aligned}$$

Let  $1 \leq p \leq \infty$ ,  $s \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $u \in \mathcal{D}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . We say that  $u$  belongs to  $u \in \mathcal{K}_p^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$  if there is  $\chi \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n) \setminus 0$  such that the measurable function  $\mathbb{R}^n \ni y \rightarrow \|u\tau_y \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} \in \mathbb{R}$  belongs to  $L^p(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . We put

$$\begin{aligned}\|u\|_{s,p,\chi} &= \left( \int \|u\tau_y \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}^p dy \right)^{\frac{1}{p}}, \quad 1 \leq p < \infty, \\ \|u\|_{s,\infty,\chi} &\equiv \|u\|_{s,\mathbf{u}1,\chi} = \sup_y \|u\tau_y \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}.\end{aligned}$$

In Kato's notation  $\mathcal{K}_\infty^s(\mathbb{R}^n) \equiv \mathcal{H}_{\mathbf{u}1}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$  the uniformly local Sobolev space of order  $s$ .

**Lemma 4.1.** (a)  $\mathcal{BC}^m(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \mathcal{H}_{\mathbf{u}1}^m(\mathbb{R}^n)$  for any  $m \in \mathbb{N}$ .

(b)  $\mathcal{BC}^{[s]+1}(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \mathcal{H}_{\mathbf{u}1}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$  for any  $s \in \mathbb{R}$ .

*Proof.* (a) Let  $u \in \mathcal{BC}^m(\mathbb{R}^n)$  and  $\chi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . Then using Leibniz's formula

$$\partial^\alpha (u\tau_y \chi) = \sum_{\beta \leq \alpha} \binom{\alpha}{\beta} \partial^\beta u \cdot \tau_y \partial^{\alpha-\beta} \chi$$

we get that  $\partial^\alpha (u\tau_y \chi) \in L^2(\mathbb{R}^n)$  for any  $\alpha \in \mathbb{N}^n$  with  $|\alpha| \leq m$ . Also there is  $C = C(m, n) > 0$  such that

$$\|u\tau_y \chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^m} \approx \left( \sum_{|\alpha| \leq m} \|\partial^\alpha (u\tau_y \chi)\|_{L^2}^2 \right)^{1/2} \leq C \|u\|_{\mathcal{BC}^m} \|\chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^m}, \quad y \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

which implies

$$\|u\|_{m,\mathbf{u}1,\chi} \leq C \|u\|_{\mathcal{BC}^m} \|\chi\|_{\mathcal{H}^m}.$$

(b) We have  $\mathcal{BC}^{[s]+1}(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \mathcal{H}_{\mathbf{u}1}^{[s]+1}(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \mathcal{H}_{\mathbf{u}1}^{[s]}(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \mathcal{H}_{\mathbf{u}1}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ .  $\square$

Let  $\varphi \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ,  $\varphi \geq 0$  be such that  $\text{supp} \varphi \subset B(0; 1)$ ,  $\int \varphi(x) dx = 1$ . For  $\varepsilon \in (0, 1]$ , we set  $\varphi_\varepsilon = \varepsilon^{-n} \varphi(\cdot/\varepsilon)$ .

**Lemma 4.2.** If  $s' \leq s$ , then

$$\|\varphi_\varepsilon * u - u\|_{\mathcal{H}^{s'}} \leq 2^{1-\min\{s-s', 1\}} \varepsilon^{\min\{s-s', 1\}} \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}, \quad u \in \mathcal{H}^s(\mathbb{R}^n).$$

*Proof.* We have

$$\mathcal{F}(\varphi_\varepsilon * u - u)(\xi) = (\widehat{\varphi}(\varepsilon \xi) - 1) \widehat{u}(\xi)$$

with

$$\widehat{\varphi}(\varepsilon \xi) - 1 = \int (\mathbf{e}^{-i \langle x, \varepsilon \xi \rangle} - 1) \varphi(x) dx$$

Since  $|e^{-i\lambda} - 1| \leq |\lambda|$  we get

$$|\widehat{\varphi}(\varepsilon\xi) - 1| \leq \left\{ \frac{2 \int \varphi(x) dx}{\varepsilon |\xi| \int |x| \varphi(x) dx} \right\} \leq \left\{ \frac{2}{\varepsilon |\xi|} \right\}$$

If  $0 \leq s - s' \leq 1$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} |\widehat{\varphi}(\varepsilon\xi) - 1| &= |\widehat{\varphi}(\varepsilon\xi) - 1|^{1-(s-s')} |\widehat{\varphi}(\varepsilon\xi) - 1|^{s-s'} \\ &\leq 2^{1-(s-s')} \varepsilon^{s-s'} |\xi|^{s-s'} \leq 2^{1-(s-s')} \varepsilon^{s-s'} \langle \xi \rangle^{s-s'} \end{aligned}$$

which implies that

$$\|\varphi_\varepsilon * u - u\|_{\mathcal{H}^{s'}} \leq 2^{1-(s-s')} \varepsilon^{s-s'} \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}, \quad u \in \mathcal{H}^s(\mathbb{R}^n).$$

If  $s' \leq s - 1$ , then

$$\|\varphi_\varepsilon * u - u\|_{\mathcal{H}^{s'}} \leq \varepsilon \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^{s'+1}} \leq \varepsilon \|u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s}, \quad u \in \mathcal{H}^s(\mathbb{R}^n).$$

□

Let  $\chi, \chi_0 \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n) \setminus 0$  be such that  $\chi_0 = 1$  on  $\text{supp} \chi + B(0; 1)$ . Let  $u \in \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . Then for  $0 < \varepsilon \leq 1$  we have

$$\tau_y \chi (\varphi_\varepsilon * u - u) = \tau_y \chi (\varphi_\varepsilon * (u \tau_y \chi_0) - u \tau_y \chi_0).$$

Proposition 2.1 and the previous lemma imply

$$\begin{aligned} \|\tau_y \chi (\varphi_\varepsilon * u - u)\|_{\mathcal{H}^{s'}} &\leq C_{s', \chi} \|\varphi_\varepsilon * (u \tau_y \chi_0) - u \tau_y \chi_0\|_{\mathcal{H}^{s'}} \\ &\leq C_{s', \chi} 2^{1-\min\{s-s', 1\}} \varepsilon^{\min\{s-s', 1\}} \|u \tau_y \chi_0\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} \end{aligned}$$

It follows that

$$\|\varphi_\varepsilon * u - u\|_{s', \text{ul}, \chi} \leq C_{s', \chi} 2^{1-\min\{s-s', 1\}} \varepsilon^{\min\{s-s', 1\}} \|u\|_{s, \text{ul}, \chi_0}$$

**Definition 4.3.**  $\mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^{s(s')}(\mathbb{R}^n) \equiv (\mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^s(\mathbb{R}^n), \|\cdot\|_{s', \text{ul}})$ .

**Corollary 4.4.** (a) If  $s' < s$ , then  $\mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^s(\mathbb{R}^n) \cap \mathcal{C}^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$  is dense in  $\mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^{s(s')}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ .

(b) If  $\frac{n}{2} < s' < s$ , then  $\mathcal{BC}^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$  is dense in  $\mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^{s(s')}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ .

*Proof.* (b) If  $s > \frac{n}{2}$ , then  $\mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^s(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \mathcal{BC}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . Therefore  $\varphi_\varepsilon * \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^s(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \mathcal{BC}^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$ .

□

We need another auxiliary result.

**Lemma 4.5.** *The map*

$$\mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n) \times \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^s(\mathbb{R}^n) \ni (\varphi, u) \rightarrow \varphi * u \in \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$$

is well defined and for any  $\chi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n) \setminus 0$  we have the estimate

$$\|\varphi * u\|_{s, \text{ul}, \chi} \leq \|\varphi\|_{L^1} \|u\|_{s, \text{ul}, \chi}, \quad (\varphi, u) \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n) \times \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^s(\mathbb{R}^n).$$

*Proof.* Let  $(\varphi, u) \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n) \times \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ,  $\chi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n) \setminus 0$  and  $\psi \in \mathcal{S}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . Then using (3.2) we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \tau_z \chi (\varphi * u), \psi \rangle &= \langle u, \check{\varphi} * ((\tau_z \chi) \psi) \rangle = \int \check{\varphi}(y) \langle u, \tau_y ((\tau_z \chi) \psi) \rangle dy \\ &= \int \varphi(y) \langle u, \tau_{-y} ((\tau_z \chi) \psi) \rangle dy = \int \varphi(y) \langle (\tau_{z-y} \chi) u, \tau_{-y} \psi \rangle dy, \end{aligned}$$

where  $\check{\varphi}(y) = \varphi(-y)$ . Since

$$|\langle (\tau_{z-y}\chi)u, \tau_{-y}\psi \rangle| \leq \|(\tau_{z-y}\chi)u\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} \|\tau_{-y}\psi\|_{\mathcal{H}^{-s}} \leq \|u\|_{s,\text{ul},\chi} \|\psi\|_{\mathcal{H}^{-s}}$$

it follows that

$$|\langle \tau_z\chi(\varphi*u), \psi \rangle| \leq \|\varphi\|_{L^1} \|u\|_{s,\text{ul},\chi} \|\psi\|_{\mathcal{H}^{-s}}$$

Hence  $\tau_z\chi(\varphi*u) \in \mathcal{H}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$  and  $\|\tau_z\chi(\varphi*u)\|_{\mathcal{H}^s} \leq \|\varphi\|_{L^1} \|u\|_{s,\text{ul},\chi}$  for every  $z \in \mathbb{R}^n$ , i.e.  $\varphi*u \in \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$  and

$$\|\varphi*u\|_{s,\text{ul},\chi} \leq \|\varphi\|_{L^1} \|u\|_{s,\text{ul},\chi}$$

□

**Theorem 4.6** (Wiener-Lévy for  $\mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ , weak form). *Let  $\Omega = \mathring{\Omega} \subset \mathbb{C}^d$  and  $\Phi : \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  a holomorphic function. Let  $s > n/2$ .*

(a) *If  $u = (u_1, \dots, u_d) \in \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)^d$  satisfies the condition  $\overline{u(\mathbb{R}^n)} \subset \Omega$ , then*

$$\Phi \circ u \equiv \Phi(u) \in \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^{s'}(\mathbb{R}^n), \quad \forall s' < s.$$

(b) *Suppose that  $s' \in (n/2, s)$ . If  $u, u_\varepsilon \in \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)^d$ ,  $0 < \varepsilon \leq 1$ ,  $\overline{u(\mathbb{R}^n)} \subset \Omega$  and  $u_\varepsilon \rightarrow u$  in  $\mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^{s'}(\mathbb{R}^n)^d$  as  $\varepsilon \rightarrow 0$ , then there is  $\varepsilon_0 \in (0, 1]$  such that  $u_\varepsilon(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \Omega$  for every  $0 < \varepsilon \leq \varepsilon_0$  and  $\Phi(u_\varepsilon) \rightarrow \Phi(u)$  in  $\mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^{s'}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  as  $\varepsilon \rightarrow 0$ .*

*Proof.* On  $\mathbb{C}^d$  we shall consider the distance given by the norm

$$|z|_\infty = \max \{|z_1|, \dots, |z_d|\}, \quad z \in \mathbb{C}^d.$$

Let  $r = \text{dist}(\overline{u(\mathbb{R}^n)}, \mathbb{C}^d \setminus \Omega) / 8$ . Since  $\overline{u(\mathbb{R}^n)} \subset \Omega$  it follows that  $r > 0$  and

$$\bigcup_{y \in \overline{u(\mathbb{R}^n)}} \overline{B(y; 4r)} \subset \Omega.$$

Let  $s' \in (n/2, s)$ . On  $\mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^{s'}(\mathbb{R}^n)^d$  we shall consider the norm

$$\|u\|_{s',\text{ul}} = \max \left\{ \|u_1\|_{s',\text{ul}}, \dots, \|u_d\|_{s',\text{ul}} \right\}, \quad u \in \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^{s'}(\mathbb{R}^n)^d,$$

where  $\|\cdot\|_{s',\text{ul}}$  is a fixed Banach algebra norm on  $\mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^{s'}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ , and on  $\mathcal{BC}(\mathbb{R}^n)^d$  we shall consider the norm

$$\|u\|_\infty = \max \{\|u_1\|_\infty, \dots, \|u_d\|_\infty\}, \quad u \in \mathcal{BC}(\mathbb{R}^n)^d.$$

Since  $\mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^{s'}(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \mathcal{BC}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  there is  $C \geq 1$  so that

$$\|\cdot\|_\infty \leq C \|\cdot\|_{s',\text{ul}}$$

According to Corollary 4.4  $\mathcal{BC}^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$  is dense in  $\mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^{s(s')}( \mathbb{R}^n)$ . Therefore we find  $v = (v_1, \dots, v_d) \in \mathcal{BC}^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)^d$  so that

$$\|u - v\|_{s',\text{ul}} < r/C.$$

Then

$$\|u - v\|_\infty \leq C \|u - v\|_{s',\text{ul}} < r.$$

Using the last estimate we show that  $\overline{v(\mathbb{R}^n)} \subset \bigcup_{x \in \mathbb{R}^n} B(u(x); r)$ . Indeed, if  $z \in \overline{v(\mathbb{R}^n)}$ , then there is  $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$  such that

$$|z - v(x)|_\infty < r - \|v - u\|_\infty$$

It follows that

$$\begin{aligned} |z - u(x)|_\infty &\leq |z - v(x)|_\infty + |v(x) - u(x)|_\infty \\ &\leq |z - v(x)|_\infty + |||v - u|||_\infty \\ &< r - |||v - u|||_\infty + |||v - u|||_\infty = r \end{aligned}$$

so  $z \in B(u(x); r)$ .

From  $\overline{v(\mathbb{R}^n)} \subset \bigcup_{x \in \mathbb{R}^n} B(u(x); r)$  we get

$$\overline{v(\mathbb{R}^n)} + \overline{B(0; 3r)} \subset \bigcup_{x \in \mathbb{R}^n} B(u(x); 4r) \subset \Omega,$$

hence the map

$$\mathbb{R}^n \times \overline{B(0; 3r)} \ni (x, \zeta) \rightarrow \Phi(v(x) + \zeta) \in \mathbb{C}.$$

is well defined. Let  $\Gamma(r)$  denote the polydisc  $(\partial\mathbb{D}(0, 3r))^d$ . Since  $\overline{v(\mathbb{R}^n)} + \Gamma(r) \subset \Omega$  is a compact subset, the map

$$\Gamma(r) \ni \zeta \rightarrow \Phi(\zeta + v) \in \mathcal{BC}^{[s'] + 1}(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \mathcal{H}_{ul}^{s'}(\mathbb{R}^n)$$

is continuous.

On the other hand we have

$$(\zeta_1 + v_1 - u_1)^{-1}, \dots, (\zeta_d + v_d - u_d)^{-1} \in \mathcal{H}_{ul}^{s'}(\mathbb{R}^n)$$

because  $\|u_1 - v_1\|_{s',ul}, \dots, \|u_d - v_d\|_{s',ul} < r/C \leq r$  and  $|\zeta_1| = \dots = |\zeta_d| = 3r$ .

It follows that the integral

$$(4.1) \quad h = \frac{1}{(2\pi i)^d} \int_{\Gamma(r)} \frac{\Phi(\zeta + v)}{(\zeta_1 + v_1 - u_1) \dots (\zeta_d + v_d - u_d)} d\zeta$$

defines an element  $h \in \mathcal{H}_{ul}^{s'}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ .

Let

$$\delta_x : \mathcal{H}_{ul}^{s'}(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \mathcal{BC}(\mathbb{R}^n) \rightarrow \mathbb{C}, \quad w \rightarrow w(x),$$

be the evaluation functional at  $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ . Then

$$\begin{aligned} h(x) &= \frac{1}{(2\pi i)^d} \int_{\Gamma(r)} \frac{\Phi(\zeta + v(x))}{(\zeta_1 - (u_1(x) - v_1(x)) \dots (\zeta_d - (u_d(x) - v_d(x))))} d\zeta \\ &= \Phi(\zeta + v(x))|_{\zeta=u(x)-v(x)} = \Phi(u(x)) \end{aligned}$$

because  $|u(x) - v(x)|_\infty \leq |||u - v|||_\infty < r$ , so  $u(x) - v(x)$  is within polydisc  $\Gamma(r)$ .

Hence  $h = \Phi \circ u \equiv \Phi(u) \in \mathcal{H}_{ul}^{s'}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ , for any  $s' \in (n/2, s)$  so

$$\Phi \circ u \equiv \Phi(u) \in \mathcal{H}_{ul}^{s'}(\mathbb{R}^n), \quad \forall s' < s.$$

(b) Let  $\varepsilon_0 \in (0, 1]$  be such that for any  $0 < \varepsilon \leq \varepsilon_0$  we have

$$|||u - u_\varepsilon|||_{s',ul} < r/C.$$

Then  $|||u - u_\varepsilon|||_\infty \leq C |||u - u_\varepsilon|||_{s',ul} < r$  and  $\overline{u_\varepsilon(\mathbb{R}^n)} \subset \bigcup_{x \in \mathbb{R}^n} B(u(x); r) \subset \Omega$  for every  $0 < \varepsilon \leq \varepsilon_0$ .

On the other hand we have  $|||v - u_\varepsilon|||_{s',ul} \leq |||v - u|||_{s',ul} + |||u - u_\varepsilon|||_{s',ul} < r/C + r/C \leq 2r$ . It follows that

$$(\zeta_1 + v_1 - u_{\varepsilon 1})^{-1}, \dots, (\zeta_d + v_d - u_{\varepsilon d})^{-1} \in \mathcal{H}_{ul}^{s'}(\mathbb{R}^n)$$

because  $\|u_{\varepsilon 1} - v_1\|_{s',ul}, \dots, \|u_{\varepsilon d} - v_d\|_{s',ul} < 2r$  and  $|\zeta_1| = \dots = |\zeta_d| = 3r$ .

We obtain that

$$\begin{aligned}\Phi(u_\varepsilon) &= \frac{1}{(2\pi i)^d} \int_{\Gamma(r)} \frac{\Phi(\zeta + v)}{(\zeta_1 + v_1 - u_{\varepsilon 1}) \dots (\zeta_d + v_d - u_{\varepsilon d})} d\zeta \\ &\rightarrow \frac{1}{(2\pi i)^d} \int_{\Gamma(r)} \frac{\Phi(\zeta + v)}{(\zeta_1 + v_1 - u_1) \dots (\zeta_d + v_d - u_d)} d\zeta = \Phi(u)\end{aligned}$$

as  $\varepsilon \rightarrow 0$ .  $\square$

**Remark 4.7.** According to Coquand and Stolzenberg [CS], this type of representation formula, (4.1), was introduced more than 60 years ago by A. P. Calderón.

**Lemma 4.8.** Suppose that  $s > \max\{n/2, 3/4\}$ . Let  $\Omega = \dot{\Omega} \subset \mathbb{C}^d$  and  $\Phi : \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  a holomorphic function. If  $u = (u_1, \dots, u_d) \in \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)^d$  satisfies the condition  $u(\overline{\mathbb{R}^n}) \subset \Omega$ , then

$$\partial_j \Phi(u) = \sum_{k=1}^d \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial z_k}(u) \cdot \partial_j u_k, \quad \text{in } \mathcal{D}'(\mathbb{R}^n), \quad j = 1, \dots, n.$$

*Proof.* Let  $s'$  be such that  $\max\{n/2, 3/4, s-1\} < s' < s$ . Then  $s' + s' - 1 > n/2$ . Let  $u = (u_1, \dots, u_d) \in (\mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^s(\mathbb{R}^n))^d$ . We consider the family  $\{u_\varepsilon\}_{0 < \varepsilon \leq 1}$

$$u_\varepsilon = \varphi_\varepsilon * u = (\varphi_\varepsilon * u_1, \dots, \varphi_\varepsilon * u_d) \in \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)^d$$

Then  $u_\varepsilon \rightarrow u$  in  $\mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^{s'}(\mathbb{R}^n)^d$  as  $\varepsilon \rightarrow 0$ ,  $\partial_j u_\varepsilon = \varphi_\varepsilon * \partial_j u \in \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^{s-1}(\mathbb{R}^n)^d$  and  $\partial_j u_\varepsilon \rightarrow \partial_j u$  in  $\mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^{s'-1}(\mathbb{R}^n)^d$  as  $\varepsilon \rightarrow 0$ . Since  $\Phi(u_\varepsilon) \rightarrow \Phi(u)$  in  $\mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^{s'}(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \mathcal{BC}(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \mathcal{D}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$  (Theorem 4.6 (b)), it follows that  $\partial_j \Phi(u_\varepsilon) \rightarrow \partial_j \Phi(u)$  in  $\mathcal{D}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ,  $j = 1, \dots, n$ .

On the other hand we have

$$\partial_j \Phi(u_\varepsilon) = \sum_{k=1}^d \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial z_k}(u_\varepsilon) \cdot \partial_j u_{\varepsilon k}, \quad \text{in } \mathcal{C}^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n), \quad j = 1, \dots, n.$$

Let  $\delta > 0$  be such that  $s' - n/2 - \delta > 0$ . Then

$$s' - 1 = \min\{s', s' - 1, s' + s' - 1 - n/2 - \delta\}.$$

Since

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial z_k}(u_\varepsilon) &\rightarrow \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial z_k}(u), \quad \text{in } \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^s(\mathbb{R}^n), \quad (\text{Theorem 4.6(b)}), \quad k = 1, \dots, d, \\ \partial_j u_\varepsilon &\rightarrow \partial_j u, \quad \text{in } \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^{s'-1}(\mathbb{R}^n)^d, \quad j = 1, \dots, n,\end{aligned}$$

using Proposition 3.7 we get that

$$\partial_j \Phi(u_\varepsilon) = \sum_{k=1}^d \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial z_k}(u_\varepsilon) \cdot \partial_j u_{\varepsilon k} \rightarrow \partial_j \Phi(u) = \sum_{k=1}^d \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial z_k}(u) \cdot \partial_j u_k, \quad \text{in } \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^{s'-1}(\mathbb{R}^n)$$

for  $j = 1, \dots, n$ . Hence

$$\partial_j \Phi(u) = \sum_{k=1}^d \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial z_k}(u) \cdot \partial_j u_k, \quad \text{in } \mathcal{D}'(\mathbb{R}^n), \quad j = 1, \dots, n.$$

$\square$

**Remark 4.9.** Let us note that  $\partial_j u_{\varepsilon k} = \varphi_\varepsilon * \partial_j u_k \rightarrow \partial_j u_k$  in  $\mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^{s'-1}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ , but  $\partial_j u_k \in \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^{s-1}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ,  $j = 1, \dots, n$ ,  $k = 1, \dots, d$ . This remark leads to the complete version of the Wiener-Lévy theorem.

**Theorem 4.10** (Wiener-Lévy for  $\mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ). Suppose that  $s > \max\{n/2, 3/4\}$ . Let  $\Omega = \dot{\Omega} \subset \mathbb{C}^d$  and  $\Phi : \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  a holomorphic function. If  $u = (u_1, \dots, u_d) \in \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)^d$  satisfies the condition  $\overline{u(\mathbb{R}^n)} \subset \Omega$ , then

$$\Phi \circ u \equiv \Phi(u) \in \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^s(\mathbb{R}^n).$$

*Proof.* Let  $s'$  be such that  $\max\{n/2, 3/4, s-1\} < s' < s$ . Then  $s' + s' - 1 > n/2$ . Let  $\delta > 0$  be such that  $s' - n/2 - \delta > 0$ . Then

$$s - 1 = \min\{s', s - 1, s' + s - 1 - n/2 - \delta\}.$$

Since

$$\frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial z_k}(u) \in \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^{s'}(\mathbb{R}^n), \quad (\text{Theorem 4.6 (a)}), \quad k = 1, \dots, d,$$

$$\partial_j u \in \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^{s-1}(\mathbb{R}^n)^d, \quad j = 1, \dots, n,$$

using Proposition 3.7 we get that

$$\partial_j \Phi(u) = \sum_{k=1}^d \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial z_k}(u) \cdot \partial_j u_k \in \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^{s-1}(\mathbb{R}^n), \quad j = 1, \dots, n.$$

Now  $\Phi(u) \in \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^{s'}(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^{s-1}(\mathbb{R}^n)$  and  $\partial_j \Phi(u) \in \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^{s-1}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ,  $j = 1, \dots, n$  imply  $\Phi(u) \in \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ .  $\square$

**Corollary 4.11** (Kato). Suppose that  $s > \max\{n/2, 3/4\}$ .

(a) If  $u \in \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$  satisfies the condition

$$|u(x)| \geq c > 0, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}^n,$$

then

$$\frac{1}{u} \in \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^s(\mathbb{R}^n).$$

(b) If  $u \in \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ , then  $\overline{u(\mathbb{R}^n)}$  is the spectrum of the element  $u$ .

**Corollary 4.12.** Suppose that  $s > \max\{n/2, 3/4\}$ . If  $u = (u_1, \dots, u_d) \in \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)^d$ , then

$$\sigma_{\mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^s}(u_1, \dots, u_d) = \overline{u(\mathbb{R}^n)},$$

where  $\sigma_{\mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^s}(u_1, \dots, u_d)$  is the joint spectrum of the elements  $u_1, \dots, u_d \in \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ .

*Proof.* Since

$$\delta_x : \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^{s'}(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \mathcal{BC}(\mathbb{R}^n) \rightarrow \mathbb{C}, \quad w \rightarrow w(x),$$

is a multiplicative linear functional, Teorema 3.1.14 of [Hö2] implies the inclusion  $\overline{u(\mathbb{R}^n)} \subset \sigma_{\mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^s}(u_1, \dots, u_d)$ . On the other hand, if  $\lambda = (\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_d) \notin \overline{u(\mathbb{R}^n)}$ , then

$$u_\lambda = \overline{(u_1 - \lambda_1)}(u_1 - \lambda_1) + \dots + \overline{(u_d - \lambda_d)}(u_d - \lambda_d) \in \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$$

satisfies the condition

$$u_\lambda(x) \geq c > 0, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}^n.$$

It follows that

$$\frac{1}{u_\lambda} \in \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$$

and

$$v_1(u_1 - \lambda_1) + \dots + v_d(u_d - \lambda_d) = 1$$

with  $v_1 = \overline{(u_1 - \lambda_1)}/u_\lambda, \dots, v_d = \overline{(u_d - \lambda_d)}/u_\lambda \in \mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . The last equality expresses precisely that  $\lambda \notin \sigma_{\mathcal{H}_{\text{ul}}^s}(u_1, \dots, u_d)$ .  $\square$

**Corollary 4.13.** *Suppose that  $s > \max\{n/2, 3/4\}$ . Let  $\Omega = \mathring{\Omega} \subset \mathbb{C}^d$  and  $\Phi : \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  a holomorphic function.*

(a) *Let  $1 \leq p < \infty$ . If  $u = (u_1, \dots, u_d) \in \mathcal{K}_p^s(\mathbb{R}^n)^d$  satisfies the condition  $\overline{u_1(\mathbb{R}^n)} \times \dots \times \overline{u_d(\mathbb{R}^n)} \subset \Omega$  and if  $\Phi(0) = 0$ , then  $\Phi(u) \in \mathcal{K}_p^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ .*

(b) *If  $u = (u_1, \dots, u_d) \in \mathcal{H}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)^d$  satisfies the condition  $\overline{u_1(\mathbb{R}^n)} \times \dots \times \overline{u_d(\mathbb{R}^n)} \subset \Omega$  and if  $\Phi(0) = 0$ , then  $\Phi(u) \in \mathcal{H}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ .*

*Proof.* (a) Since  $\mathcal{K}_p^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$  is an ideal in the algebra  $\mathcal{H}_{ul}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ , it follows that 0 belongs to the spectrum of any element of  $\mathcal{K}_p^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . Hence  $0 \in \overline{u_1(\mathbb{R}^n)} \times \dots \times \overline{u_d(\mathbb{R}^n)} \subset \Omega$ . Shrinking  $\Omega$  if necessary, we can assume that  $\Omega = \Omega_1 \times \dots \times \Omega_d$  with  $\overline{u_k(\mathbb{R}^n)} \subset \Omega_k$ ,  $k = 1, \dots, d$ . Now we continue by induction on  $d$ .

Let  $F : \Omega \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  be the holomorphic function defined by

$$F(z_1, \dots, z_d) = \begin{cases} \frac{\Phi(z_1, \dots, z_d) - \Phi(0, \dots, z_d)}{z_1} & \text{if } z_1 \neq 0, \\ \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial z_1}(0, \dots, z_d) & \text{if } z_1 = 0. \end{cases}$$

Then  $\Phi(z_1, \dots, z_d) = z_1 F(z_1, \dots, z_d) + \Phi(0, \dots, z_d)$ , so

$$\Phi(u) = u_1 F(u) + \Phi(0, \dots, u_d) \in \mathcal{K}_p^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$$

because  $u_1 F(u) \in \mathcal{K}_p^s(\mathbb{R}^n) \cdot \mathcal{H}_{ul}^s(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \mathcal{K}_p^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$  and  $\Phi(0, \dots, u_d) \in \mathcal{K}_p^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$  by inductive hypothesis.

(b) is a consequence of (a). □

**Corollary 4.14** (A division lemma). *Suppose that  $s > \max\{n/2, 3/4\}$ . Let  $t \in \mathbb{R}$  such that  $s + t > n/2$ . Let  $u \in \mathcal{H}^t(\mathbb{R}^n) \cap \mathcal{E}'(\mathbb{R}^n)$  and  $v \in \mathcal{H}_{ul}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$ . If  $v$  satisfies the condition*

$$|v(x)| \geq c > 0, \quad x \in \text{supp } u,$$

then

$$\frac{u}{v} \in \mathcal{H}^{\min\{s, t\}}(\mathbb{R}^n).$$

*Proof.* Let  $\varphi \in \mathcal{C}_0^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$ ,  $0 \leq \varphi \leq 1$ ,  $\varphi = 1$  on  $\text{supp } u$ , be such that

$$|v(x)| \geq c/2 > 0, \quad x \in \text{supp } \varphi.$$

Then  $w = \varphi |v|^2 + c^2 (1 - \varphi)/4 \in \mathcal{H}_{ul}^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$  satisfies  $w \geq (\varphi + (1 - \varphi)) c^2/4 = c^2/4$ . If  $\delta$  satisfies  $0 < \delta < \min\{s + t - n/2, s - n/2\}$ , then

$$\min\{s, t\} = \min\{s, t, s + t - n/2 - \delta\}.$$

By using Corollary 4.11 and Corollary 3.12 we obtain

$$\frac{u}{|v|^2} = \frac{u}{w} \in \mathcal{H}^t(\mathbb{R}^n) \cdot \mathcal{H}_{ul}^s(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \mathcal{H}^{\min\{s, t\}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$$

This proves the lemma since

$$\frac{u}{v} = \overline{v} \cdot \frac{u}{|v|^2} \in \mathcal{H}_{ul}^s(\mathbb{R}^n) \cdot \mathcal{H}^{\min\{s, t\}}(\mathbb{R}^n) \subset \mathcal{H}^{\min\{s, t\}}(\mathbb{R}^n).$$

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